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Ely Cinema will go digital this summer

JORDAN DAY

A CAMPAIGN to bring Ely Cinema into the 21st century has been a success – thanks to the help of a local businessman.

Local charity Arts Development in East Cambridgeshire (ADeC) launched its 'Going Digital' fundraising campaign in January and has now got the £42,000 needed to buy and install digital projection equipment.

It is the news film fans from across the district have been waiting for and the community cinema, based at The Maltings, will be switching over to digital in July – around seven months ahead of schedule.

Caroline Cawley, marketing manager at ADeC, said: "It's great news for us and will help secure the cinema's long term future.

"With the new high definition projector and sound kit, our customers should certainly notice a difference.

"It will also allow us to screen more live and alternative content as well as archive and local films."

GOING DIGITAL: Caroline Cawley and Peter Dawe outside The Maltings

The charity managed to raise £11,000 towards the cost and a grant of £15,400 has been awarded from the Fens Adventurers Fund.

Now Ely businessman Peter Dawe, who has founded over 70 businesses and organisations in and around Cambridgeshire, has stepped forward to loan ADeC the remaining funds.

Mrs Cawley said: "We are very grateful to the Fens Adventurers Fund and to Peter for their investment in our project.

"Peter's offer and the Fens Adventurers' funding means we are going digital well ahead of schedule.

"The cinema will be closed for a few weeks at the beginning of July while we upgrade our old 35mm projector and sound kit.

"We'll be offering some free test screenings while we make sure everything is working before our official launch and in the meantime we'll be running screenings up until July."

The success of the campaign will be welcomed by film lovers from across the region. Because ADeC currently does not have the equipment to screen the latest movies at the cinema, the majority of people are forced to travel to nearby Huntingdon or Cambridge.

There have been talks about a large multiplex cinema moving into Ely for some time and earlier this year East Cambridgeshire District Council announced it was in "detailed talks" with a national developer, which hoped to formally submit plans later this year.

Land at the junction of Downham Road/A10 has been identified as the most suitable site for the new cinema, if and when the plans progress.

The council was not able to say whether the success of ADeC's Going Digital campaign would affect the plans in any way.

Speaking to *Ely News*, Mr Dawe said: "Contrary to popular myth, entrepreneurship is about minimising risk, not taking risk.

"By lending the balance of the cost of the digital projector, it means ADeC will be able to raise income through being able to offer films sooner after release and to have better access to advertising revenues, thus being able to repay the loan."

To keep up to date with the Going Digital campaign, visit www.adec.org.uk.

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Art gallery shop to close this month

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AN art gallery in Ely has fallen victim to the recession and will close at the end of this month.

Rhonda and Bangelis Dallis have run The Ruiz Gallery in High Street for around six years but have now made the difficult decision to shut the business.

Rhonda said: "It's such a sad decision for us to have to make but we can't go on like we are.

"The gallery's been open in Ely for around six years and the first five years were great. This last year has been pretty disastrous.

"There's hardly any footfall in Ely anymore. People walk past the shop, look in the window and then walk on and the majority of those who do come in and have a look sadly don't have the money to buy anything.

"We've hung on and on but we've got to call it a day now.

"We'll be closing at the end of the month. We've really enjoyed being in Ely and will miss it terribly. We'd like to thank all our customers for their support over the years."

CLOSING: The Ruiz Gallery in Ely's High Street is shutting at the end of the month

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The Ruiz Gallery will still operate online from www.ruiz-art.com.

The gallery is just one of many city centre businesses which have closed recently, including Starbucks in High Street, 3Q Sports in Market Place and Mayer Design in Forehill. The Ely Pound Superstore in Forehill is also due to shut next month.

FLOG IT: Local television auctioneer David Palmer hosted the auction at Soham Village College Right: Nell Freeman, 17, with a collectable

Retro treat at charity auction

SOHAM Village College threw its doors open for a vintage and retro fair on Saturday.

It was the first time the event, organised by the school's Home and College Association (HCA), had been held and visitors were able to browse a whole host of antiques and retro collectables.

The fair culminated with an auction hosted by Ely auctioneer David Palmer and star of hit show, *Flog It!*

Christine Smith, treasurer of the HCA said: "We've never held this event before but it was lovely. It was something new and hopefully over time it'll grow.

"The auction was really lively and David did a great job. The HCA organises numerous events like this which enables us to buy things for the college that aren't in the budget, such as outdoor shelters or picnic tables for the students.

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More acts confirmed for party

HIT 90s bands N-Trance, D:Ream and Snap! are coming to Ely this summer.

Organisers of the city's much-anticipated Party on the Hill concert have announced that the three groups will be performing at the event on August 31.

They will be joined by Cheryl Baker, Jay Aston and Mike Nolan, formerly of Bucks Fizz, with their new group OBF. As previously reported, former X Factor winner Matt Cardle, boy band Blue and girl band Atomic Kitten are headlining the event on Cherry Hill Park.

Rupert Russell, the main organiser, said: "We're delighted to confirm yet more big acts for Party on the Hill. To say it's going to be an event to remember would be an understatement." Visit www.elyparty.co.uk for tickets.

New Soham supermarket expected to be refused

CONTENTIOUS plans to build a new supermarket in Soham were expected to be refused yesterday.

It was in 2011 that major firm Harrier Developments Ltd submitted plans to build a 41,000 square-foot supermarket on land at The Shade. The proposals also include a new public house/ restaurant and a petrol filling station.

The scheme has been at the centre of controversy ever since it was submitted. While some people say Soham is desperate for a large out-of-town supermarket, others insist another supermarket will harm the town's "already suffering" High Street.

Yesterday East Cambridgeshire District Council's planning committee was being recommended to refuse the development.

Planning officer Sue Finlayson said the supermarket "threatens town centre vitality" and "contravenes local and national retail policy". She said the plans attracted 665 comments in support and 51 letters of objection.

More pictures online at www.ely-news.co.uk

GLITZ AND GLAMOUR: People from far and wide descended on Little Downham on Saturday for the annual Ely Regency Ball, which is now in its fifth year. The majority of guests donned period costume for the occasion.

Annual Ely Regency Ball is as glam and successful as ever

MAJESTIC dancing and striking period costumes took over the village of Little Downham.

The annual Ely Regency Ball was held at the village hall on Saturday and, as ever, revellers went all out with their attire.

More than 80 people from far and wide attended the ball, including Ely's town crier, Avril Hayter-Smith and her husband, Graham.

Fendango and Saraband, a local group of Playford dancers and musicians, hosted the event and the main organiser, Patti Quant, was MC. Guests were also treated to a lavish supper prepared mainly by Alan and Jeanette Moser-Bardouleau.

Patti said: "The entire evening was a huge success with all the guests vowing they will be back next year for the sixth ball."

NEWS IN BRIEF

Coffee morning to help hospice

A COFFEE morning and cake sale are being held at the Ely Cathedral Centre today to raise money for the Arthur Rank Hospice.

It is running at the centre, on Palace Green, from 10am-12pm.

Chimney fire sparks 999 call-out

A CHIMNEY caught fire at a property in Littleport.

Firefighters were called to the home in Mildenhall Road at around 11.10am on Saturday. A spokeswoman for Cambridgeshire Fire and Rescue Service said: "Please ensure that you get your chimney swept and the brickwork inspected at least once a year."

Model railway displays galore

MODEL railway enthusiasts will be descending in Ely on Saturday.

Ely and District Model Railway Club is holding its annual exhibition at Ely College.

This year's theme is 'Narrow Gauge' and as ever there will be a wide variety of displays for visitors to browse.

The exhibition starts at 10.30am.

Free concert in Jubilee Gardens

HARMONY in Harlem are performing in Ely on Sunday as part of the City of Ely Council's Summer Riverside Concerts 2013 programme.

The free concerts are held in Jubilee Gardens from 2.30-4.30pm.

Fire on land near village station

A FIRE broke out near to Shippea Hill Station and its cause is unknown.

The blaze happened on open land at around 7pm on Friday and one fire crew from Littleport attended.

Approved

'Dismay' as councillors say yes to Cambridge University's plans for a boathouse in Ely

JORDAN DAY

CONTENTIOUS plans to build a new boathouse in Ely have been given the green light – much to the "dismay" of conservation groups.

Cambridge University's proposals to build the new boathouse at Fore Mill Wash, which lies in between two of Ely's Sites of Specific Scientific Interest (SSSIs), were approved by East Cambridgeshire District Council last week.

However, all conditions will have to be rubber-stamped by Giles Hughes, head of planning at the council, plus the applicants must carry out further ecological surveys in order for a 'wildlife mitigation and enhancement plan' to be drawn up.

The plans have been one of the most contentious set of proposals the council has ever received, mainly over the feared impact it could have on wildlife.

The committee's decision means Cambridge University Boat Club (CUBC), Cambridge University Women's Boat Club and Cambridge University Lightweight Rowing Club will be able to build the new boathouse, which will provide all three clubs with a base to train.

APPROVED: An artist's impression of how the boathouse could look

Martin Baker, the Wildlife Trust conservation manager for Cambridgeshire, said: "We are dismayed that the application was approved. This piece of land lies adjacent to a SSSI and is inside a county wildlife site.

"Planners did however take the step of amending their recommendation to stipulate that negotiations must take place between CUBC and the Wildlife Trust and Natural England to limit damage to wildlife. They were also required to undertake further ecological surveys to inform the design of a wildlife mitigation and enhancement plan."

A spokeswoman for Ely Wildspace said: "We will be studying in detail the planning committee's decision on the new boathouse.

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"In the short term we hope that efforts will be made by the local authority to amend the plans and reduce the damage this development will do.

"Local people have voiced legitimate concerns about the building of this private sports club in such a sensitive spot. They will be watching closely to see that their councillors, and planning officers, do their duty."

The plans were approved with eight votes against three.

Cllr Mike Rouse, who covers Ely North ward, said: "The River Great Ouse is one of the greatest rowing rivers in the area, if not the country and we have been rowing on it for years. My concern here is that a new boathouse, which inevitably needs to come to Ely as it is the only stretch of river where there is enough straight for rowers, is going to have an impact wherever it is built."

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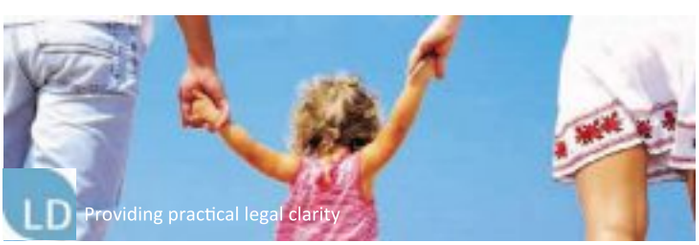

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Bonfire was the cause of devastating inferno

A MASSIVE blaze which has left a couple homeless was caused by a bonfire.

Cambridgeshire Fire and Rescue Service (CFRS) has confirmed that the cause of the devastating blaze at a bungalow in Straight Drove, Coveney, was due to a bonfire at the property which became out of control.

As previously reported, the inferno broke out last Tuesday night and saw the entire property, a workshop, several outbuildings and cars all destroyed.

Its owners, Mr and Mrs T Burrows, have been too distraught to speak to the *Weekly News* but speaking at the scene the morning after, their son said: "My mum and dad have lost everything. Absolutely everything."

Mr Burrows is a boat manufacturer and repairer by trade and carried out the majority of his work at home. CFRS has confirmed the fire was caused by a bonfire at the property which became "out of control".

CFRS is urging residents to never light bonfires close to buildings, fences or vegetation.

Visit www.cambsfire.gov.uk.

MILLS: Owners of Northfield Windmill in Soham, Umesh and Rachel Patel

Great mills throw open their doors

WINDMILLS and watermills threw their doors open to the public at the weekend.

It was National Mills Weekend and to celebrate, The East Anglian Mills Society (TEAMS) arranged for mills across the region to host open days and tours, enabling people to find out more about their local milling heritage. Among the mills which took part were the Great Mill in Haddenham, Northfield Windmill in Soham, Downfield Mill in Soham and Wicken Smock Mill.

A spokesman for TEAMS said: "National Mills Weekend is an initiative started up by The Mills Section of the Society for The Protection of Ancient Buildings (SPAB) in 1984.

"The aim is to encourage people to explore our milling heritage by visiting wind and watermills and taking part in special events. More than 300 mills across the country were open, including many which do not normally have public access."

Cycling ban plea for Ely Riverside

JORDAN DAY

CALLS are being made for all cyclists to be banned from biking along the riverfront in Ely.

City councillors say anti-social cycling in the Riverside and Waterside area is making it "too dangerous for pedestrians".

Anti-social cycling has been an issue, particularly in the area near The Cutter Inn, for some time.

Police say they have been clamping down on rule-breaking bike users since last autumn after concerns were raised by residents at a neighbourhood panel meeting, and that the "vast majority of cyclists are not committing offences".

But now the City of Ely Council wants all cyclists to be banned from cycling alongside the River Great Ouse – and for a code of practice to be drawn up.

A statement in city council minutes said: "The majority of members felt that it was not appropriate to cycle along the riverfront as in some parts it is quite narrow, especially near The Cutter, and it makes it dangerous for pedestrians.

"It was agreed that cyclists should be prohibited from cycling along the river until a code of practice is developed which sets protocols to ensure safe use of the waterways, which would also include cyclists."

The calls have been welcomed by mum-of-two Felicity Bowman, of nearby Victoria Street.

She said: "Cyclists should have been banned from the Riverside area years ago.

"They dodge in and out of pedestrians using the path and it's so dangerous.

"The thing that worries me the most is that the path runs right alongside the river.

"Unless this stops it is only a matter of time before a child or an elderly person is knocked into the water."

The city council's comments will now be considered by East Cambridgeshire District Council's recently-formed Ely Riverside Improvement Plan Group.

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BLOSSOMS AND BYGONES: This year's extravaganza in Haddenham and Aldreth had a 1940s theme and as ever, was a huge hit with families

Villages step back to the 1940s

FAMILIES turned out in force for the annual Haddenham and Aldreth Blossoms and Bygones festival.

The fun-filled 1940s themed extravaganza was held on Saturday and Sunday, and as ever saw both villages coming alive with attractions and activities.

Revellers enjoyed historic re-enactments, Home Guard displays, Lindy Hop and Jitterbug dancing, brass band performances plus an impressive vintage vehicle display.

Many residents also opened their gardens to the public, plus there were stalls, a car boot sale, a vintage market, children's games and lots of competitions.

As ever, the festival was raising money for the Arkenstall Centre in Haddenham.

I'm calling it a day, says council leader

JORDAN DAY

PETER Moakes has stood down as leader of East Cambridgeshire District Council.

Cllr Moakes, who has been the authority's leader since May 2011, announced on Friday that he was not seeking re-election as he is approaching his 70th birthday.

Soham-based Cllr James Palmer has been elected as the new leader by Conservative members.

Cllr Moakes said: "It has been a great privilege to have been the leader of East Cambridgeshire District Council for the last two years.

"Together with my colleagues, we have faced many challenges and while tough decisions have had to be taken I believe they have been made for the benefit of the district.

"Whether it has been setting the future growth of new homes, directing investment into the local economy or pushing forward projects such as the Ely bypass and the leisure centre – we have helped move the district forward.

"However during all this, I have been keenly aware that while my focus has never waivered from doing the best for East Cambridgeshire, I know I am approaching my 70th birthday. This is why I decided not to seek re-election to the role of leader.

"I wish James and Charles well in the years ahead and they will have my full support as they work to ensure our district remains a fantastic place to live, work and enjoy."

The council's new deputy leader is Cllr Charles Roberts, who represents Stretham ward.

Cllr Palmer, said: "I would like to thank Peter for all the hard work and commitment which he has given to the council and East Cambridgeshire. In the last two years, I have been proud to work with him to deliver on the key issues which have faced the district.

"I know the decisions he has taken and the foundations he has laid ensures East Cambridgeshire as a place has progressed and continues to develop.

"For my part, the next two years are very exciting. We have a number of projects which we are to progress to make a real difference to lives across the district.

"I am sure there will be challenges ahead but I promise to meet these with determination, resolve and innovation to ensure our district remains a great place to succeed in the years ahead."

Nightclub and pub revellers in Ely beware

PUBS in Cambridge and Ely are joining forces for the second year running to help drive down alcohol-fuelled violence in the two cities.

Cambridge Nightsafe and Pubwatch in Ely have announced they are teaming up again this year to help make the cities safer for revellers on a night out.

The groups share a banned list of troublemakers under Cambac (Cambridge Business Against Crime) and information on booze-fuelled disorder. They can track and target groups who may pose a danger in the cities and are in constant contact with officers from Cambridgeshire police who are available to arrest or remove offenders.

Cambac, which is managed by former publican Vicky Hornsby, has a 'Facebook of crime' with web pages similar to those on the social networking site.

But instead of 'friends', it has profiles of individuals who have been banned from bars and shops in the city. The rogues' gallery feature a person's details and relationships and can be seen by Cambridgeshire Police.

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Maybe there was another cause of poor cat's death?

I'VE just read Debra Fox's story on the front page of this week's *Ely Weekly News*: 'Heartbreak as family's cats die after poisoning' and I'm writing as I had a similar experience last November.

We live in Littleport and one afternoon one of our cats meowed to be let outdoors. Within ten minutes he was whining to come back indoors. I opened the front door and he dragged himself in and upstairs and was panting heavily.

This was all so sudden and totally unexpected. We rushed him to the vet in Ely and he was in a terrible state without any movement in his hind quarters and sweating profusely.

He was scared, as were we, it was all so sudden. He was about 12 years old, yet our other surviving cat who rarely ventures outdoors is 21.

My first instinct was to ask the vet whether he could have been poisoned. Even though it was unlikely as he'd hardly left the front doorstep. The vet asked whether he'd been coughing at all, and if so for how long. I replied that yes he had been coughing occasionally over the past year. But we thought it'd been due to fur balls or something along those lines.

The vet told us that he'd suffered a blood clot. We were given the option of handing him over to an animal hospital for treatment without any guarantee of his survival, or to have him put down.

He was suffering a great deal as well as being deeply distressed. So I chose to have him put down. It was heartbreaking and still haunts me to this day. But he hadn't been poisoned, he couldn't have been.

I just thought I'd share my experience as he'd displayed the same symptoms of dragging himself as one of the family's cats' reported in the article. I couldn't explain the simultaneous loss of two cats, other than it being quite possible that when two beings are very close, then it's not unusual for one to quickly follow the other in death.

I feel for this family and hope that a wicked poisoning of their pets wasn't the case for them, and isn't for others in Ely at any time in the past or in future.

Russell Ramshaw
Friars Place
Littleport
Ely

Boathouse decision should have been postponed

HAVING attended East Cambs Council, last Thursday, for the hearing of the Cambridge University Boat House (CUBH) application, I feel I should express some concerns.

Firstly, some councillors showed little respect for the representatives from the statutory bodies by not addressing them by their correct titles. I question if these councillors have any respect for the people of Ely as a whole, whom they represent.

Secondly, it appeared some councillors were not interested in hearing submissions from the floor because, from their demeanour, it seemed they had already decided how they would vote.

I think the opportunity to delay this application, as suggested by a few councillors, would have been a chance for Ely to take stock of what benefit the CUBH would actually bring to the city, and give time for negotiation with the university for what they are prepared to do for Ely Rowing Club. This decision highlights once again how East Cambs Council gets things wrong especially in light of the fact that The Maltings restaurant fiasco is ongoing and a lovely facility is still closed when it should be available for everyone to use.

I should add that whilst waiting in the foyer of the council offices, there were a number of older people, some age 70 plus, who had to stand for an hour or so as the available seats were mostly taken by the fit young university rowers who were there. I did not see one young person offer a seat to any of the older people. Perhaps the rowers spend so much time sitting in boats that they can't stand, but if this is the lack of respect that they show on dry land goodness knows what will happen to anyone who gets in their way on the river.

Finally, can any councillor tell me if there is going to be a guide figure produced on the financial benefit that the CUBH has brought to Ely at the end of the first year of them being in operation in Ely?"

Peter Hillman
Juniper Drive
Ely

Delight as author Pam is made an MBE

SMILE: MBE joy for Pam Blakeman

ELY historian and author Pam Blakeman is beaming after being made an MBE.
Miss Blakeman, 83, who has lived in the city all her life, found out in December that she was given the award in recognition of her services to heritage in Ely, and collected it from Prince Charles at Buckingham Palace on Friday.
The former teacher has written many books, including the bestselling Book of Ely. She also deals with all history-related Ely queries, whether they come from individuals or through places such as the city's tourist information centre.
Miss Blakeman said she "thoroughly enjoyed" the day at Buckingham Palace and that she "will never forget it".
Long-serving parish councillor David Fairchild was also awarded a British Empire Medal in recognition of his services to Haddenham and Aldreth.
Mr Fairchild, 75, has lived in Haddenham all his life, and has been a Haddenham parish councillor for 49 years, and chairman of the village's Arkenstall Centre committee since 1970.
He is also greatly involved with the Cambridgeshire Federation of Young Farmers' Clubs, is a friend of Haddenham Library and is involved with many charities.

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They'd fly the flag in some far distant race
And in so doing
Would make us proud.

Dominic O'Suileabhain

Thanks from Marie Curie

ON April 24 I received a thank you letter from Marie Curie Cancer Care for the sum of £66.04 which was sent to them and for which they are very grateful.

They have asked me to pass on their thanks to the residents of Lynton Drive, Ely, for the generosity they have shown in helping to support persons with a terminal illness, like cancer.

The money they contributed will help patients to receive practical and emotional support from a Marie Curie nurse who will give this vital care in the patient's own home.

Many thanks to those who contributed with great generosity to support people at a time of their desperate need.

Christine Sookoo
Lynton Drive
Ely

Thank you for your kindness

I WOULD like to thank all the folk who stopped to help me when I fell outside LLoyds TSB on Monday 29th April. To the lady who fetched me a chair, the gentleman who tried to wash the blood from my face and who walked me to my destination. Also thanks to the staff of Studio 3 who looked after me and made me a very welcome cup of tea. Again thank you and although I still have bruises, I am ok.

Sylvia Bromley-Allen
Witchford

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New novel from retired school headteacher

A RETIRED head teacher has written his second book.
Sid Wales retired as head of Rackham Primary School in Witchford in 2010 after an impressive 21 years and he published his first novel, *Miss Ing Teacher*, a humorous book about primary school life, last year.
His new book, *Miss-Ing Link Teacher*, is the sequel to the first novel, and is proving to be just as popular.
The book is published by Pegasus.

PICTURED: Ex head teacher Sid Wales, shows pupils his new book

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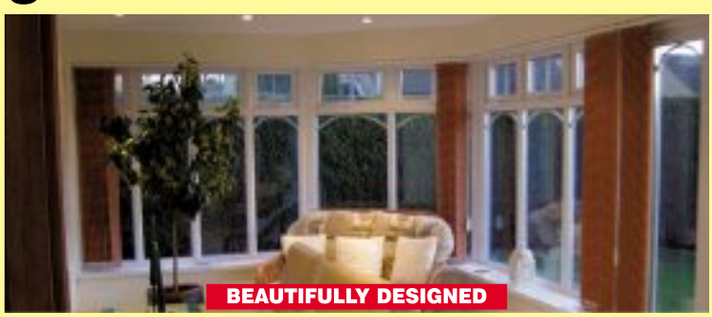

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Message from Sue Austen

A big thank you to all those who voted for me in the County Council Election on 2nd May. The election result was disappointing, but national issues were too strong. I am proud of my record as a County Councillor but I remain a District Councillor for Ely West. I will continue to defend the interests of the residents of Ely West or anyone else I can help.

Thank you for your support
Sue Austen

Birthdays

Look who's 13
on 18th May

JAMES CARLIN

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Thomas and Harry
x x

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Deaths

BINKS. Winifred formerly of Little Wilbraham, passed peacefully away at Fitzwilliam House, Cottenham, on Sunday, 5th May, 2013, in her 100th year. Beloved wife of the late Jack, much loved mum of Madge and the late Tony & Douglas, a dear nana and great-nana. Funeral service at St John's Church, Little Wilbraham, on Friday, 17th May, at 3.00pm, followed by interment at Little Wilbraham. Family flowers only but donations if desired for Fitzwilliam Comforts Fund may be left at the service or sent to C. E. Fuller & Co, 23 Hall Street, Soham, Cambs, CB7 5BN. Tel: 01353 720439.

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RAY. Alan Charles of Bury Lane, Haddenham passed peacefully away at Hinchingbrooke Hospital, Huntingdon on Wednesday, 8th May, 2013 aged 79 years. Dearly loved husband of Ann, loving father of Graham and Lynn, father-in-law of Louise and Lester and dear grandad of Sara, Gus and Minty. Private cremation is followed by a Service of Thanksgiving at Haddenham Baptist Church on Tuesday, 21st May at 2.00pm. Family flowers only, donations, if desired, for Cancer Research UK or EACH (East Anglia's Children's Hospices) will be gratefully received at the service or c/o A. G. Carter Funeral Director, 6 Froize End, Haddenham, Cambs, CB6 3UQ.

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NEW MAYOR: Elaine Griffin-Singh has been appointed Ely's new mayor

Elaine is Ely's new mayor

MEET Ely's new mayor – community-spirited councillor and businesswoman Elaine Griffin-Singh.

Elaine formally took over as mayor from Cllr Will Burton at a ceremony on Monday night and has already made history by choosing her teenage daughter as her consort for the coming year.

Elaine, who lives in Forehill, has chosen her 14-year-old daughter, Nisha, to accompany her on some of her engagements. The city's deputy mayor is now Cllr Elisabeth Every, who chose her husband, Colin, as her consort.

Speaking to Ely News, Elaine, who is a district and city councillor and works as a probate researcher, said: "I love everything about Ely and feel immensely proud to be representing the city as mayor.

"I see the role as a chance to promote the city and enhance it in the best way that I possibly can. I also see it as a great opportunity to create links. Linking charities and voluntary organisations with the official side, such as councils and businesses.

"If we do that right then it helps build everything, including the economy and employment and it all has a knock-on effect."

As previously reported, Elaine has already organised a whole host of community events for the summer, including the Mayor's Party in the Park at Cherry Hill on Sunday, June 2.

Starting on Saturday, May 25 she will also be hosting the '16 Summer Saturdays' programme, which will see live performances and food taking over the Market Place every Saturday evening through to September 7.

Cycling festival in Soham

A CYCLING extravaganza is being held in Soham on Sunday (May 19).

The Cambridgeshire Festival of Cycling is taking place on the town's recreation ground from 10.30am-4.30pm, and people of all ages are invited.

The free event has been organised by Cambridgeshire County Council and caters for all cyclists, from the first-time to the experienced.

There will be a wide range of bikes to try-out, including children's, tandems, wacky, trikes, cargo and recumbent bikes. The ever-popular smoothie bike will also be there to turn fresh fruit into a healthy drink using pedal power.

Dr Bike will also be carrying out free maintenance checks and basic repairs on existing cyclists' bikes, plus there will be competitions and interactive feedback walls to find out residents' views of cycling.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Proposed lease of life for barns

TWO derelict barns could be transformed into homes. Mr and Mrs Flack, of Old Australia Farm, Twentypence Road, Wilburton, have applied to East Cambridgeshire District Council for planning permission to renovate two empty agricultural barns at their property into two four-bedroom homes.

A decision is expected within eight weeks. Visit www.eastcambs.gov.uk to have your say.

Feast of music at Ely Cathedral

THE annual Ely Festival of Church Music is being held at Ely Cathedral on Saturday.

Conducted by Paul Trepte, the cathedral's director of music, the festival will be based on the Pentecostal theme, The Spirit of Truth.

More than 200 singers from 34 choirs across Cambridgeshire will be taking part in the festival, which starts at 5pm.

Appeal starts after plans rejected

A PLANNING appeal has been launched after proposals to extend a property in Littleport were refused.

East Cambridgeshire District Council rejected plans for a two-storey extension to be built onto 30, Hempfield Place, in order to form a new dwelling.

Now Mr and Mrs N Lawrence have lodged an appeal against the council's decision. Residents have until June 12 to have their say.

Storage yard plans for farm site

PLANS to turn a former waste paper collection and baling site in Soham into a storage container yard have been given the green light. The proposals for Crow Hall Farm in Northfield Road, Soham, were submitted in December and have now been approved by East Cambridgeshire District Council.

Tweet tweet.. Time for bird race!

NATURE lovers are in for a treat in Ely on Sunday.

Ely Wildspace is holding its annual 'bird race' where people are invited to take part in a challenge to find at least 80 species of birds in a single morning.

People should meet at the top of Kiln Lane at 6am, and take binoculars, suitable clothing and food and drink with them.

Farm could boast new office

A STORAGE building at a farm could be demolished to make way for a new office.

The plans involve bulldozing a derelict storage building at Harlocks Farm in Soham Road, Stuntney, and building a new farm office in its place.

Proposals have been submitted to East Cambridgeshire District Council and a decision is expected within eight weeks. Visit www.eastcambs.gov.uk to have your say.

Art exhibition at Babylon Gallery

ARTIST Jill Bradley is exhibiting her work at the Babylon Gallery in Ely.

The exhibition, entitled 'Flowers he sent me', is running until Sunday, June 2, and some of the artwork is for sale.

The gallery is open Tuesday to Sunday from 12-4pm, and entry is free.

Planners reject bungalow scheme

PLANS to build two new bungalows in Littleport have been refused.

Perry Sharman wanted to build the homes on land at the rear of 16, White Hart Lane, but his proposals have been rejected.

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New era for former showroom

A FORMER car dealership in Ely looks set to be given a new lease of life.

The former Vauxhall garage in St Mary's Street has stood empty since it was closed by car firm Marshall last year.

Since then, the premises, which had served as a car showroom for more than a decade, have been on the market with local firm Barker Storey Matthews.

Richard Adam, the firm's director, has confirmed that the lease of the premises, which are owned by local businessman Mike Grey, has now been signed.

Mr Adam said: "We had a lot of interest in the site in St Mary's Street and I can confirm that a new leaseholder has now been found. The lease has been signed and everything is now going through the final processes."

Marshalls closed the site instead of renewing the lease last November. The closure has not affected residents in the five flats above.

Mr Adam said: "We're unable to confirm what sort of business it is that is taking over the premises but it will be clear for people to see in the near future."

Nellie's cafe continues to support clubs and charities in Sutton

TWO organisations are hundreds of pounds better off thanks to a community cafe in Sutton.

Nellie's Community Cafe is open twice a month for residents to enjoy homemade cakes and catch up with friends, with all the money being donated to local charities or clubs.

Every six months the volunteers choose two different charities to support and since November, the cafe has been supporting Sutton Rangers Football Club and the St Andrew's Church new flooring appeal.

The football club has now been presented with £250 and £900 was donated to the flooring appeal.

The cafe is open on the second Wednesday of the month at the school community room and on the last Friday of the month at Scott Court sheltered housing scheme.

NELLIE'S CAFE: Volunteers from Nellie's Community Cafe present representatives from Sutton Rangers FC and St Andrew's Church with their cheques

Man beaten at petrol station

A PETROL station worker has described his horror after a man was savagely beaten in front of him in broad daylight.

The vicious attack was carried out by two men and left a 46-year-old man, from the Ely area, with serious head injuries.

Police are urging anyone with any information about the attack at the Jet filling station at Witcham Toll to call them. It happened at around 9am on Bank Holiday Monday.

JORDAN DAY

A 37-year-old man and a 17-year-old youth, both from Chatteris, have since been arrested on suspicion of causing grievous bodily harm.

A member of staff at the petrol station, who dialled 999, described the brazen attack as "pretty horrendous".

The man, who did not want to be named, said: "The guy was out filling his vehicle up with fuel and then all of a sudden these two men drove onto the forecourt.

"They were really beating him up and were both onto him. The guy then fell unconscious but they carried on kicking him. They weren't giving in.

"This all happened on the forecourt in broad daylight. It went on for around 10 minutes. There was blood everywhere and the man was in a hell of a state.

"The police arrived quite quickly but the two men left before they arrived and just left the man." Police say the man was treated in hospital and that he has since been released.

DS John Yore said: "This was a serious assault but we are treating it as an isolated incident. There were a number of witnesses in the area who could help my investigation and I would appeal for them to come forward."

The 17-year-old boy has been bailed until May 17 and the 37-year-old man has been bailed until June 17.

Anyone with information should call DS Yore at Ely on 101.

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Dive into the leisure industry

YOUNG people keen to work in the fitness industry are being given the chance to take on a new apprenticeship.

Leisure operator Everyone Active is running a 12-month apprenticeship scheme at the Paradise Pool in Ely and is now inviting applications.

Starting in June, the apprenticeship will offer lifeguarding and swimming instruction. The apprentices earn while they learn and are paid £2.65 per hour during their 12-month contract.

Harvey Gosling, group training manager at Everyone Active, said: "Not all 16-year-old school leavers want to join a college or sixth-form to study A-Levels and the hefty cost of university places is making many 18-year-olds think twice about going.

"Our apprenticeships are a genuine opportunity for people who are interested in working in the fitness and leisure industry.

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Over the last four years, more than 1,000 Everyone Active colleagues have started an apprenticeship within its leisure centres.

Visit www.everyoneactive.com/apprenticeships or call 0117 314 3058 for more information.

SCIENCE SUCCESS: King's Ely pupils who performed well in the British Biology Olympiad. From left to right: Luke Cave, Sam Huguet, Emily Holdsworth, James Wege, Tony Lesmeister and Lueh Chien

Bubbling success for young scientists

BUDDING scientists from King's Ely have received an impressive collection of awards.

Six A-level students received awards in this year's British Biology Olympiad and 12 students were awarded certificates in the International Chemistry Olympiad.

The British Biology Olympiad is a national competition that only pupils with predicted A grades may enter and the International Chemistry Olympiad is a challenging examination-based competition for top-performing A-level chemistry students.

Emily Holdsworth, Sam Huguet and Luke Cave received bronze medals and certificates in the biology contest, Lueh Chien and Tony Lesmeister were awarded commendations and James Wege was highly commended.

All 12 King's Ely students who entered the chemistry competition came away with certificates.

Head of King's Ely, Sue Freestone, said: "Chemistry is one of King's Ely's unsung strengths.

"The work our students do is vibrant and challenging and it's great for them to have some kind of outward recognition of what they achieve.

"The Chemistry Network, funded by the Government's Independent State School Partnership programme, also enables us to work with other local schools to encourage children to raise their achievement levels and aspirations for the future."

Families invited on 'Big Push'

FAMILIES are being given the chance to put their best foot forward for charity on Saturday.

The Isle of Ely branch of the National Childbirth Trust (NCT) is holding its annual Big Push - and parents and their little ones are being urged to get involved.

Emma Bliss, one of the organisers, said: "We are very lucky to have such a beautiful venue for our walk.

"We start in Jubilee Gardens and then stroll along the riverside, through Pocket Park, across town, past the cathedral, through Cherry Hill park and then back to the gardens.

"Hopefully the weather will be kind to us and we can enjoy a beautiful stroll together, supporting new parents with every step.

"The Big Push will raise much-needed funds to help NCT provide every new mum or dad with the support which can make such a difference to anyone struggling to cope with the reality of being a parent.

"It's also a great opportunity to get out in the fresh air with the kids this summer, catch up with old friends and meet new ones."

Last year's event raised more than £600.

This year's Big Push starts in Jubilee Gardens at 10.30am. People can register in advance online by visiting https://selfservice.nct.org.uk. Registration costs £5 each or £8 for a family.

Staff 'unhappy and overworked'

JORDAN DAY

STAFF at East Cambridgeshire District Council feel unhappy and overworked – forcing the authority to draw up an action plan to try and tackle employee blues.

The council is having to create a Staff Survey Action Plan after an in-house survey revealed significant poor morale.

The last survey was carried out in 2008 when 64.5 per cent of the workforce completed their questionnaires. The questionnaire in 2012 was returned by just 33 per cent of staff.

The findings show that nearly a third of staff said their job caused 'unreasonable stress', and four out of every 10 employees said they felt they were not valued by the council.

ECDC chiefs believe the main contributory factor to staff feeling blue is the 18 redundancies made from 2009-2012.

John Hill, the council's chief executive, said: "It has been a difficult few years for everyone in local government as efficiency savings and reduced Government funding has created many challenges for us all.

"I am proud of the way staff have coped in these difficult times and we know through the survey and subsequent consultation that we have work to do.

"We believe our action plan will not just help improve the authority but ensure our residents get the service they need."

The plan will published on the council's Intranet site for all staff to see.

ARE YOU UNHAPPY AT WORK?

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Or should people feel more grateful to have a job in these hard times?

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Help discover and protect local bat species

NATURE lovers are being urged to give up some of their spare time to help bats.

The Wildfowl and Wetlands Trust (WWT) in Welney has joined forces with the Norfolk Bat Survey to get a greater understanding of what species of bats there are in the region, and volunteers are now being sought to help collect valuable data which will form part of a survey.

A WWT Welney spokeswoman said: "This is an exciting way to identify the species of bat that share your local area with you.

"We are particularly looking forward to seeing what people manage to discover in the Fens as the area provides a fantastic habitat for a diverse range of species." Visit www.batsurvey.org/bnbp/welney.html.

WARD RE-OPENS: Chief Executive of Cambridgeshire Community Services NHS Trust, Matthew Winn, cuts the ribbon Picture By Duncan Lamont

An extra six months in jail for prolific burglar

A TEENAGER who was already behind bars for burglary will have to spend more time in jail after admitting 13 more offences in the Ely area.

Clinton Samuel, 19, who has 21 convictions for 44 previous offences, was sentenced to two years in a young offenders' institution in January for burglary and related charges at a home in Dovehouse Close, Ely.

The Essex criminal, who has 12 aliases, admitted another charge of burglary at Cambridge Crown Court and asked for 12 other offences, including 10 attempted burglaries, to be taken into consideration.

They all took place between August 11-13 last year in the Ely, Soham, Haddenham and Littleport area.

The sample charge involved the burglary of a home in The Chase, Ely, in which a retired couple were confronted by two men at their home overnight on August 11.

Samuel, who insisted he was only a lookout, and his co-burglar, who has not been identified, got away with a handbag with contents worth £63.

Judge Anthony Bate said it was clear Samuel, of Dagenham, was "part of a gang" and sentenced him to an extra six months in prison.

'Good news' as hospital ward reopens

JORDAN DAY

A WARD at Ely's Princess of Wales Hospital has finally been re-opened – around five months after it was closed.

The hospital's Welney Ward, a specialist care of the elderly ward, was shut down in January this year due to "significant staffing issues".

Cambridgeshire Community Services NHS Trust, which runs the 21-bed ward, was forced to move all the patients elsewhere – a decision which sparked fears among locals that the ward could have closed permanently.

But last Thursday health chiefs, existing staff and new staff gathered there for a special re-opening ceremony and to see what work had been carried out since the closure.

Not only have two new leadership staff been appointed but there are also five new nurses, meaning there is now a team of more than 40 staff.

The ward has also been re-decorated, the floor in the ward and the day room has been replaced, air conditioning has been installed in the day room plus a modern call bell system has been fitted.

The first patients were admitted onto the ward on Monday.

Tracey Cooper, community manager for Ely and the Fens at Cambridgeshire Community Services NHS Trust, said: "Patient safety is the trust's top priority so we took the difficult decision to temporarily close the ward after experiencing significant staffing issues.

"The re-opening of the ward follows a highly successful recruitment campaign, where we've recruited to two leadership roles and five registered nurses, to add to the 40 plus strong existing team."

The trust says that patients were relocated to residential and nursing facilities, depending on their needs, during the closure, and that in some cases, staff also transferred with them to "ensure continuity of care".

Mrs Cooper said: "We've worked closely with the new local commissioning group to re-open the ward and I'd like to thank them for their support.

"The re-opening of the ward is good news for staff, but more importantly is good news for local people

"Welney Ward is a key element of our services for older people and I'm sure will continue to provide high quality services for people in and around Ely long into the future."

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MP agrees to re-pay expenses

CONSERVATIVE MP Sir Jim Paice has agreed to pay back more than £9,000 of mortgage interest payments he claimed on his parliamentary expenses.

The South East Cambridgeshire MP agreed to pay back £9,177 of the £11,311 he claimed between May 2010 and August 2012, to cover a proportion of the increased value of his property during that period.

The deal was agreed as part of a transitional arrangement after the Independent Parliamentary Standards Authority (Ipsa) banned the use of Commons expenses to pay mortgage interest in the wake of public fury over "flipping" and other abuses.

Sir Jim, pictured, said: "Nobody is happy to part with money but I've agreed a schedule of repayments and I've made the first payment."

Sir Jim, who has done nothing wrong, now rents a property. He announced earlier this year that he will stand down at the next general election in 2015.

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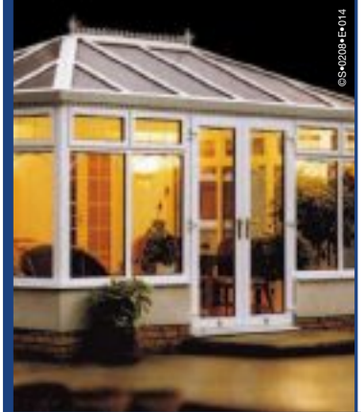

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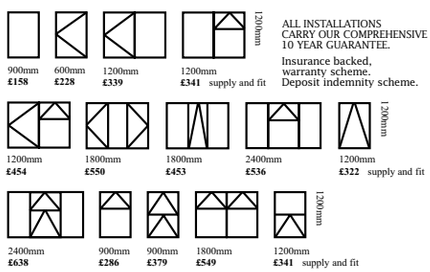

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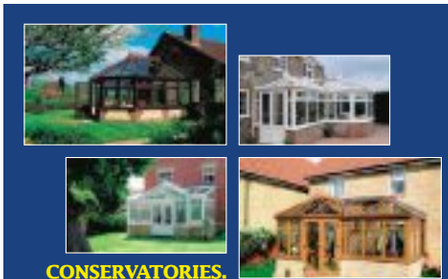

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No news is good news?

Barbara Nicholas
Private Client Tax Specialist

Inheritance Tax has not received much press during the tenure of George Osborne - good or bad - but it remains high on the agenda of most of my clients.

Each estate has a 'nil-rate- band', within which no Inheritance Tax (IHT) is payable. This was set at £325,000 in 2009 and the government announced in February of this year that as part of a package of measures to fund a cap on care costs for older people, it will be frozen until 2017, despite previous commitments for an increase in 2015. When it comes to matters of taxation, recent changes in legislation display none of the Iron Lady's well-documented dislike of U-turns. Quite the reverse, in fact.

The rate of tax on death remains at 40% - almost half, so no more need be said about its order of priority in any family wealth preservation exercise.

There are a variety of reliefs and exemptions available – the most basic of which operate on a 'use it or lose it' basis. I am frequently asked by my clients 'how much can I give away?' The answer is often 'as much as you like', although there can be disadvantages and in some scenarios, life-time gifts can actually operate to increase the liabilities on death.

So it is always important to seek professional advice. And sooner, rather than later. As the saying goes - in this world, nothing can be said to be certain but death and taxes.

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"We are delighted that our clients have rated us so highly that we are now on the Recommended Agencies Register", said Jo Evans, director at Emerald Frog Marketing.

"We'd like to thank all our clients for recommending us and our team for all their hard work as we continue to grow."

Emerald Frog was set up in 2010 and is based in St Thomas' Place.

Call 0845 519 5565 or visit www.emeraldfrog.co.uk for more information.

Plans to expand company's HQ

A MAJOR building firm's headquarters could be expanded to make way for more office space.

East Cambridgeshire District Council has received plans for an extension to be built at MAC Construction's offices on the Chettisham Business Park.

Bosses at the firm, which was founded as J P Murfitt in 1978, want to build two extensions at the site, one measuring 4m by 6m and the other measuring 8m by 5m.

If approved, the new extensions would be used as extra office space.

In a statement to planners, the firm said: "The internal layout is divided to provide office accommodation, facility areas and a meeting/print room.

"The scale of the proposal is greatly smaller to the surrounding buildings, however the size of the unit is similar to adjacent premises that are all let individually.

"No new access is required as part of this application as a concrete access roadway already exists to the main yard.

"The proposed extension will be constructed from matching facing brickwork."

The final decision lies with the district council and is expected within eight weeks.

Expansion plans for historic pub approved

JORDAN DAY

ONE of Ely's most historic pubs has been given the green light to extend.

Bosses at Greene King applied for planning permission to extend The Prince Albert, in Silver Street, in January.

East Cambridgeshire District Council's planning committee approved the proposals last Thursday, despite concerns from residents.

The decision means Greene King can now build an extension at the rear of the traditional pub to form a new 40-seat restaurant, a new food preparation kitchen and install a new kitchen extraction system.

Nearby residents, in particular those living in The Range, whose properties back onto the rear of the pub, were in uproar over the proposals.

Jonathan Rogers, of The Range, spoke on behalf of the objectors at the meeting. He said: "We feel this extension is a significant overdevelopment of the site. What is proposed is a massive building very close to our homes.

"We're worried it is going to produce extra noise, extra pollution and general loss of amenity.

"A 40-seat restaurant is a very large building to have so close to people's homes."

District and county councillors Bill Hunt and Anna Bailey, who own a property in The Range, were also against the plans and were among the eight objectors who sent letters to the council.

However, Greene King argued that the extension was "desperately needed" in order to "secure the future viability" of the pub.

The firm said the scheme would also enable the drinking hole to cater better for the disabled and that it would create around eight new jobs.

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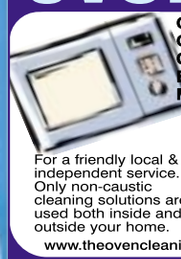

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Ladies put their golf swing to the test in Ely

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As well as golf lessons for children and adults, there was also a special ladies-only session, which was well attended.

The club's PGA professional, Phil Rains, a former King's Ely student, led the activities.

He said: "I like to see people being healthy and playing sport.

"Golf is a great game for everyone who enjoys friendship, fresh air and exercise and it was great to welcome so many newcomers to the game through the free sessions."

BLACK HORSE DROVE

EYES DOWN: a quiz night is being held at Black Horse Drove Community Centre on Friday, May 17. Peter Allen will be hosting the quiz, which starts at 7.30pm.

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SOCIETY TALK: Jonathan House will be guest speaker at the Ely and District Archaeological Society's next talk. The talk, entitled 'A tale of two cities: excavations in Norwich and Ipswich', is being held at Ely Methodist Church, in Chapel Street, on Monday, May 20. It starts at 8pm and non-members are welcome. Call Steve Cole on (01353) 669326.

FASHIONISTAS: a fashion show is being held in Ely on Thursday, May 16 to raise money for the NSPCC. Edinburgh Woollen Mill is hosting the event at St Mary's Church Rooms from 7.30pm onwards. The show is for both men and women, and tickets are £7. For tickets, pop into Ely's Edinburgh Woollen Mill store or Burrows Bookshop.

NEW SKILLS: learn how to patchwork in Ely. Sew Much To Do, in High Street Passage, is holding a beginners patchwork class. The six-week class starts on Tuesday, May 21 from 2-4.30pm. Call (01353) 664000.

LUNCH TIME: Ely Lunch Club next meets on Thursday, May 23. The club meets at the Prince Albert public house on alternate Thursdays from 12-2pm. Call 07827 966475.

CHARITY COFFERS: the City of Ely Flower Club has raised more than £200 for Cambridgeshire Search and Rescue. A raffle at the club's last meeting raised £99.90 and will be added to the £188.40 previously raised.

SCRABBLE CLUB: Ely Scrabble Club next meets on Thursday, May 16. The club meets at Ely Library on alternate Thursdays from 1-3pm. Call 07827 966475.

PSYCHIC POWERS: a psychic supper is being held in Ely on Friday, May 17. The Ely and District Spiritualist Church is holding the event at the Larkfields Centre, in High Barns. It starts at 7.30pm and tickets are £13, which includes a personal reading from a medium. Call Liz on 07769 963850.

FILM FANS: Ely Film Society is holding a screening of 'Russian Ark' on Monday, May 20. The screening is being held inside the lecture theatre at the Old Palace, on Palace Green, at 7.30pm, and will be followed by the society's AGM. Call (01353) 668639.

ART TALK: 'The East Bedroom at Harewood House' is the title of the next Ely Decorative and Fine Arts Society talk. Melissa Gallimore is hosting the talk at the Hayward Theatre on Thursday, May 16. It starts at 7.30pm and non-members are welcome.

AIR AMBULANCE: the East Anglian Air Ambulance is more than £1,500 better off thanks to Specsavers in Ely. The branch helped to sell tickets for Ely's firework display last year and the money raised is a share of the ticket sales.

ART COURSE: two places are available on a six-week art course starting in Ely on June 5. The course will be held at the City of Ely Bowls Clyb and will be led by local artist John Glover. Call Barbara Harlow on 07889 969850.

HADDENHAM

SOCIETY FUNDS: Haddenham Conservation Society is almost £400 better off thanks to a cake and plant sale. The society held the event on The Green on May 4 and around £370 was raised. Plants left over from the sale are now available to buy from Haddenham Galleries.

SING ALONG: Haddenham Methodist Church is inviting people to its hymn evening on Monday, May 20. The musical extravaganza is being held at the church's schoolroom at 7pm and all are welcome.

LITTLE DOWNHAM

GET CRAFTY: a craft fair is being held at Little Downham Village Hall on Sunday, May 19. Funky Fayres and Events are hosting the event there from 11am-3pm. There will also be children's activities and refreshments.

LITTLEPORT

LIVE MUSIC: The Soulcanoes will be performing live at Littleport Leisure Centre on Saturday, May 18. On Sunday, May 19 there will also be a carpet bowls tournament. Call (01353) 860600.

FLOWER DEMO: 'The Darling Buds of May' is the title of Littleport Flower Arrangement Club's next demonstration. Dulcie Lofting will be hosting the event at the village hall on Friday, May 17. It starts at 7.30pm and non-members are welcome. Call (01353) 863421.

COFFEE DATE: the next cafe church is being held at St John's Methodist Church on Sunday, May 19. Morning worship will be held at 10.45am with preacher Ian Weatherall.

PRICKWILLOW

HIAM FUN: a line dance disco is being held at the Hiam Sports and Social Club on Friday, May 17. DJ Lee and Trixie Trish are hosting the event. On Sunday, May 19 an auction is also being held at the club. It starts at 3pm, although viewing will be from 11am onwards. To book a table, call Robert on 07842 201160.

SOHAM

LUNCH DATE: Soham Lunch Club next meets on Monday, May 20. The club meets at the Cherry Tree public house on alternate Mondays from 12.30-2.30pm. Call 07827 966475.

QUIZ TIME: Soham Bowls Club is holding a fundraising quiz night on Saturday, May 18. All are welcome to take part in teams of four or six.

SCRABBLE FANS: Soham Scrabble Club next meets on Thursday, May 23. The club meets at Soham Library on alternate Thursdays from 2.30-4pm. Call 07827 966475.

TEA DANCE: a tea dance is being held in the hall at Berrycroft on Saturday, May 18 from 2-4pm. Admission is £2.50.

SUTTON

COFFEE TIME: a coffee morning is being held at 4, Oates Lane, Sutton, on Saturday, May 18 to raise money for the St Andrew's Church floor appeal. It starts at 10am and all are welcome.

WENTWORTH

STAR GAZERS: Wentworth Observatory is now open every clear Wednesday evening. Locals are invited to go along and see the universe from 7.30pm onwards. Call Peter on (01353) 661734.

WILBURTON

MESSY PLAY: families are invited to Wilburton Community Baptist Church's next messy play session on Sunday, May 19 from 3-5pm.

Belly dancing fun in Soham

GIVE belly dancing a go and help raise much-needed funds for the Arthur Rank Hospice Charity.

A belly dancing extravaganza called 'Shimmyfest' is being held at The Brook in Soham on Saturday.

Local belly dancing troupes Shani and Sienna have organised the event, which will feature day-time workshops and an evening Hafla performance, all to raise money for the hospice.

Caroline Lerrigo, one of the organisers, said: "The event will be amazing.

"We have some internationally recognised teachers coming to do workshops and we also have some brilliant dancers who will be performing in the evening.

"It's a chance to see belly dance, including some of the modern variations such as Gothic and Fusion, up close on a scale not seen before in the Ely area."

The hospice is close to the heart of the troupes, as the father of one of the belly dancers was assisted by its Hospice at Home service before he died earlier this year.

Workshops are being held at various times and the evening performance starts at 7.30pm.

For more information or tickets, visit www.shanidance.co.uk.

Vintage vehicle museum mania

VINTAGE vehicle enthusiasts will be in their element in the village of Prickwillow on Sunday.

Prickwillow Drainage Engine Museum is throwing its doors open for a fire engine and military vehicle day, and people of all ages are invited.

Pauline Dunham, from the museum, said: "We will obviously be steaming the historic City of Ely Shand Mason fire appliance, which will again be joined by the Bedford lorry.

"The Bedford lorry has been restored by Peter Swann and used to pull the appliance for the City of Ely when horses were no longer used.

"What is exceptionally exciting is that the steam fire appliance will be joined by two more steaming Shand Mason appliances (of only 6 further in the UK) – the Thorney appliance, owned by Beds Fire Brigade, and the Sedgwicks Watford Brewery appliance, owned by Derek Wheeler.

"These very rarest of steam vehicles will all be pumping water from the drain and jetting back into the drain creating quite a spectacle."

The extravaganza is running from 11am-4.30pm and entry is £4 for adults, £3 for concessions and £1.50 for children.

It's Stretham Feast time!

FAIRGROUND rides, live music and children's games are taking over the village of Stretham this weekend.

It's Stretham Feast time and, as ever, a wide variety of attractions are lined up for the whole family to enjoy.

Tomorrow evening there will be a family picnic and barbecue on the village recreation ground combined with a Stretham's Got Talent competition.

On Saturday, the farmer's market takes place around the village cross in the morning and in the evening there will be a concert in the church where Alternative Medicine and friends will perform songs from stage and screen.

Doors open at 7.30pm and tickets are £5 on the door.

Sunday is feast day itself. The celebration starts with a church service at 12.30pm, then after a blessing by the Archdeacon of Huntingdon, the parade, led by the Ely Military Band, starts at 1pm, followed by the village fayre at 2pm on the recreation ground.

Attractions will include a mini world cup competition, dog show, funfair, music and dance performances, stalls arts and crafts, a hog roast and a grand prize draw, to name just a few.

Store seeks new charity to help

ELY'S Sainsbury's store is on the lookout for a new charity to support and residents are being given the chance to help pick the beneficiary.

It is the fifth year of the supermarket's Local Charity Partner initiative, which gives local registered charities the chance to receive a year's worth of fundraising and awareness support from store colleagues.

Last year the store supported the MS Society and now store manager Alex Bettison is on the hunt for a new good cause to help.

He said: "Our work with previous local charity partners over the years has been really successful in letting our customers have their say.

"Over the last four years, Sainsbury's stores and their customers have helped thousands of charities across the UK and we hope our customers can take the time to vote in the coming weeks and give a local charity that's close to their hearts the chance for us to support them."

People can vote for their charity by popping into the store in Lisle Lane or by emailing Local.charity@sainsburys.co.uk.

Alternatively, visit www.sainsburys.co.uk/localcharity.

The winning charity will be announced next month.

COMMUNITYNEWS

PEOPLE IN THE PICTURE

Arts organisation boosted by Ely-Hereward Rotary Club

ELY'S biggest arts organisation is benefiting from a bumper donation.

The Ely-Hereward Rotary Club has presented Arts Development in East Cambridgeshire (ADeC) with a cheque for £650.

Christine Pike, co-ordinator at the Babylon Gallery, where ADeC is based, said: "The Rotary club's generous donation is a great start to our fundraising for Discover Babylon.

"In June we'll be holding an art exchange event where people can bring, sell and buy artwork, followed by an auction of donated artwork from professional artists whose careers have been helped by the Babylon Gallery." Visit www.adec.org.uk for more information.

DONATION: President of the Ely-Hereward Rotary Club Gary Gardner presenting the cheque to Caroline Cawley, marketing manager at ADeC.

Night of fine dining for Ely cadets

YOUNG cadets donned their smartest attire for an evening of fine dining.

1094 Ely Squadron held its annual Dining In Night at Ely Golf Club for the second year running.

The event is organised to provide the cadets with a view of a formal dining night similar to what they might experience in either the services or in the world of business.

Principal guest was squadron leader Tim Brain RAF VR(T), sector commander (East) within Bedfordshire and Cambridgeshire Wing ATC, who retires from service in June.

Squadron Commander Flight Lieutenant Nick Wilson said: "Aside from the benefits to the cadets, the evening was a chance to say thank you to a number of people who support the squadron whom without that support operating would be very difficult.

"The cadets were as ever immaculately turned out and thoroughly enjoyed the evening."

1094 Ely Squadron is always looking for new recruits.

Visit www.1094Ely.co.uk for more information.

BOW TIES: Guests at 1094 Ely Squadron's Dining in Night

Rotarian quiz masters fall at the last hurdle

BRAINY Rotarians finished top of their league - but failed to beat off stiff competition at the last hurdle.

Ely Rotary Club's quiz team has been competing with other clubs in the local 1080 district over the last few months and managed to come top of the league.

But the team failed to beat off the competition at the district finals in Soham and came sixth out of nine places.

A club spokesman said: "We encountered teams from all clubs involved in the league from Aylsham, Beccles, Ipswich East, Letchworth Garden City, Norwich, Norwich Blackfriars, Soham Staploe and Stowmarket at the finals.

"Unfortunately for us, the teams from both Norwich clubs were tops, scoring 61.5 and 60.5 respectively, whereas we came 6th out of nine places.

"Do you have a "quizzical mind" and a good brain for winning?

"Please look at the things we get up to by visiting our website www.elyrotary.co.uk.

"New members are always welcome to apply."

BRAIN BOXES: Ely Rotary Club's quiz team was top of the league until the district finals

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Hopes high to improve safety on danger road

DISCUSSIONS are ongoing about how a notoriously dangerous road could be made safer.

Residents and councillors have been concerned about the B1411 between Little Downham and Ely, and in particular the Seven Sisters bend, for some time.

And since young mum Dawn Healy, from Littleport, was killed along the route earlier this year, Little Downham Parish Council has made it a priority to improve safety.

On Friday, May 3, villagers, councillors and community leaders met, along with Amanda Mays, a road safety officer at Cambridgeshire County Council, to discuss how the busy route could be made safer.

JORDAN DAY

Debbie Adams-Payne, chairman of the parish council, said the meeting was "extremely positive".

She said: "It's fair to say that the parish council and many locals have been concerned about safety issues on the B1411 for some time.

"Lots of different ideas were raised, including lowering the speed limit of the route from 60mph to 50mph and even 40mph.

"Some people have also suggested extending the white lines on the bend, remodelling the bend, widening the road and even moving the entire road, which obviously would not be possible.

"The plan now is to discuss all the ideas that were raised and forward our comments to the county council."

Numerous motorists have lost their lives along the route in recent years.

A spokesman for Cambridgeshire County Council said: "We are pleased that the local community found the public meeting helpful. We look forward to receiving the feedback from the parish council which will prompt forward discussions within the county council."

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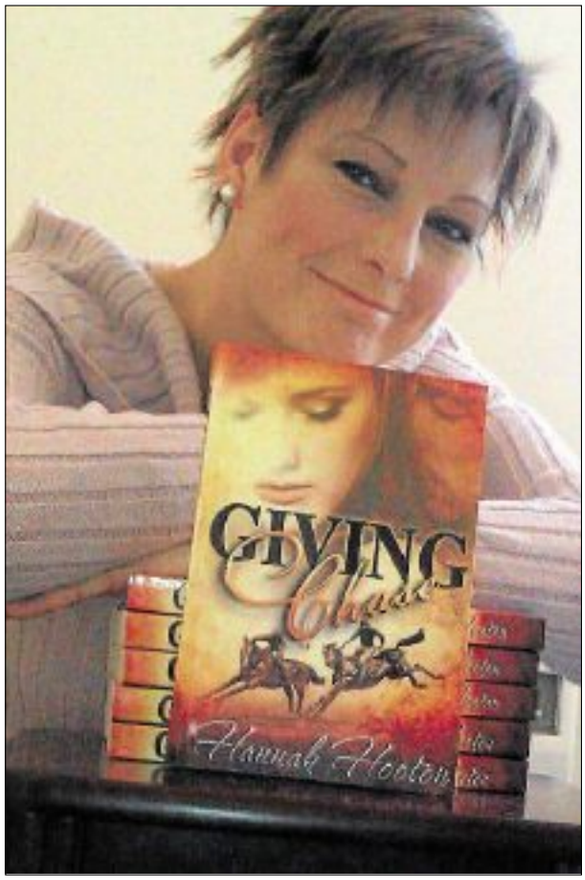

Horseracing novelist on to a third winner

A HORSE racing enthusiast has written her third romance novel based around the industry she loves.

Hannah Hooton has had two horse racing romances published, *At Long Odds* and *Keeping the Peace,* and has now published her third, *Giving Chase.*

Hannah, who lives in Ely, said: "I am a horse-racing enthusiast.

"I no longer own horses, but while living in Zimbabwe I had an ex-racehorse called Tomahawk Chop, with whom I'd gallop the dirt roads of the African bush and dream of going to the Dubai World Cup.

"I have now published three racing romances and am comfortably fulfilling my quest to write about racing from a different perspective in each novel.

"I hope to have my fourth novel out by Royal Ascot, June 2014.

"Giving Chase, although fresh out the stable, is already proving popular with readers."

The book is now available to buy in paperback and Kindle format on Amazon.

GIVING CHASE: Ely author Hannah Hooton with her novel

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LINDY HOP: The Cambridge Lindy Hoppers bopped into Ely

Actors perfect their Lindy Hop

LINDY Hoppers bopped their way into Ely to teach thespians the latest moves ahead of their next big production.

Ely's Campaign Amateur Theatre (CAT) group is busy rehearsing for its forthcoming show, the Hot Mikado, which opens at the end of June.

'Hot Mikado' is Gilbert and Sullivan's 'Mikado' but set to an American big band, swing sound.

Show director, Becky Green, thought it would be good to bring some authentic 1940s dance into the show so invited the Cambridge Lindy Hoppers along to teach the cast some of the moves.

Becky said: "The music is so energetic and uplifting, it seemed only right that we should honour it with some authentic dance moves of the time."

'Hot Mikado' is running at The Maltings from June 27-29.

For tickets, call (01353) 669759 or pop into Burrows Bookshop in Ely's High Street Passage. Alternatively, visit www.cately.ticketsource.co.uk

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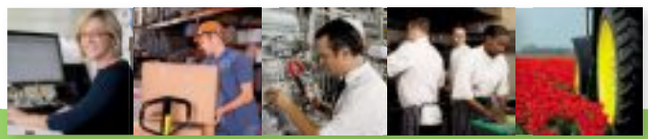

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All change at the Stephen Perse Foundation

A letter from the Principal

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There is currently a deficit of educational opportunity for boys in Cambridge. Not only is there a lack of places, there is also a lack of choice, in terms of the style of education on offer – not least, the distinctive approach at the Stephen Perse Foundation, which has, until now, remained true to its single sex roots as The Perse School for Girls for students aged between the ages of seven and 16.

Our approach to learning is inspired by the academic scholarship of the University of Cambridge and the innovation and enterprise of Silicon Fen. It is an exceptional education that prepares our students for their future in a world characterised by challenge and change. We believe the time is now right to offer this opportunity to boys as well as girls.

As such, the Governing Body of the SPF has announced that from September 2014 boys will be admitted into Year 3 (age 7) of the Junior School. This will offer a pathway for the boys currently in our Pre-Preps in Madingley and the City, whose parents are keen for them to continue their education with us, as well as providing another choice for parents of boys currently attending other schools.

We remain true to our commitment to single sex teaching. We recognise that boys and girls respond to different learning techniques and styles at different ages. From Year 5 girls and boys will be taught in separate classes for core subjects and from 2018 we shall be creating a parallel boys' section for the 11-16 stage of their learning journey leading on to the highly successful co-educational Stephen Perse Sixth Form College.

This diamond model will offer girls and boys the best of all worlds. The girls' senior school will continue to offer outstanding opportunities for learning, but will enjoy mutual benefits from interaction in a range of social, cultural and sporting activities afforded by the creation of the new boys' section. In this way the SPF will provide parents with a unique educational opportunity in Cambridge based on the best learning outcomes for all our students.

A critical strand of our strategy is to ensure that schools within the SPF are of a size where every student is known. Each of our schools boasts a strong sense of community within the broader family of schools. Whilst enjoying a family resemblance, our five schools offer the best educational setting for their students whether they are three or 18.

In another exciting development, the SPF is delighted to welcome the addition of a new school from September 2013. Dame Bradbury's, an independent co-educational prep school for children aged 3-11, shares with the SPF a commitment to excellence and innovation. An integral part of the Saffron Walden educational landscape, Dame B's is rightly proud of its distinguished history.

Following the merger between Dame B's and the SPF, the schools look forward to forging a powerful educational alliance in this region.

We are confident that, building on an outstanding legacy of excellence, we will offer an exceptional education for both girls and boys in Cambridge and Saffron Walden. I for one am hugely excited by the future and look forward to the next stage in the history of The Stephen Perse Foundation.

Tricia Kelleher

Principal
Stephen Perse Foundation
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the GUIDE

From Russia with love

■ Moscow State Symphony Orchestra, Cambridge Corn Exchange, Friday, May 17, at 7.30pm. Tickets: £25-£34 from (01223) 357851 or www.cornex.co.uk

THE internationally acclaimed Moscow State Symphony Orchestra visits Cambridge Corn Exchange tomorrow (Friday) for the final concert in this year's hugely successful *Cambridge News*-backed Classical Concert Series, writes *Andrew Burton*.

All of the performers in the 2012/13 series have played to packed houses and the Moscow State Symphony Orchestra show no sign of bucking this trend.

The evening opens with excerpts from Rimsky-Korsakov's exotic Tsar Sultan Suite. Based on a poem by Pushkin, it takes us on a fantastical journey into the fairytale world the composer returned to again and again – think of his famous Flight of the Bumblebee in which Prince Guidon is magically transformed into a bumblebee so he can fly back to his father the Tsar, which must rank among the most memorable and best loved pieces of classical music ever written.

One of the most accomplished pianists to emerge from Russia in recent years, soloist Tatiana Kolesova, *pictured left*, gives a bravura performance of Tchaikovsky's magnificent Piano Concerto No 1. Born in Moscow in 1985 and a graduate of Moscow Conservatory, Tatiana soon became the laureate of major international piano competitions. She is also a laureate of the Russian President Prize (1997) and was awarded a scholarship of the Order of the Legion of Honour (France), so it is a rare privilege to hear an artist of such international standing perform.

In the second half, the orchestra, under the assured conductorship of Pavel Kogan, brings Tcahikovsky's great Symphony No 6 ('Pathetique') brilliantly to life. Regarded as the composer's swan song composition, the symphony ranges across a massive emotional landscape – from its slow, ominous opening to passages of turbulent passion at its climax.

Cases of cholera were rife in St Petersburg in 1893 when Tchaikovsky conducted the première of Symphony No 6. Five days after conducting this concert, he made the fatal error of drinking a glass of unboiled water and died four days later at the height of his creative powers aged only 53.

The *News* is also supporting the forthcoming 2013/14 Cambridge Classical Concert Series (October 2013 to May 2014), tickets for which are now on sale to subscribers with savings of up to £50. Visit *cornex.co.uk* for details.

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Suessical the Musical

WILBURTON Theatre Group is staging 'Seussical the Musical' this week.
The production is being held at St Peter's Hall in Wilburton from Thursday through to Saturday, with performances being held at 7.30pm each night.
The play is based on the works of Dr Suess. Tickets are £8 for adults, £6 for concessions or £24 for a family of four.
For tickets, call (01353) 740321.

■ JAMES Graham's critically-acclaimed new play, This House, is being screened live in Ely tonight.
The biting and energetic play will be screened live from the National Theatre in London at The Maltings. It starts at 7pm.
Tickets are £13 for Ely Cinema members, £12 for non-members or £11 for under-16s.
For tickets, call (01353) 616991 or visit www.adec.org.uk.

■ SOHAM'S Viva Theatre Company's next show – 'Bouncers – the Viva Remix', is being staged at The Brook this week.
Based on the play by John Godber, productions are being held from Wednesday through to Friday, with performances at 7.30pm each night.
Tickets are £8 for adults and £6 for concessions.
For tickets, call (01353) 722228 or visit www.wegottickets.com and search for 'Bouncers – The Viva Remix'.

More what's on: ely-news.co.uk

Soul tunes

AMERICAN soul singer Freddie Hall will be delighting the crowds in Ely on Sunday.

He will be performing a free concert at The Townhouse pub, in Market Street.

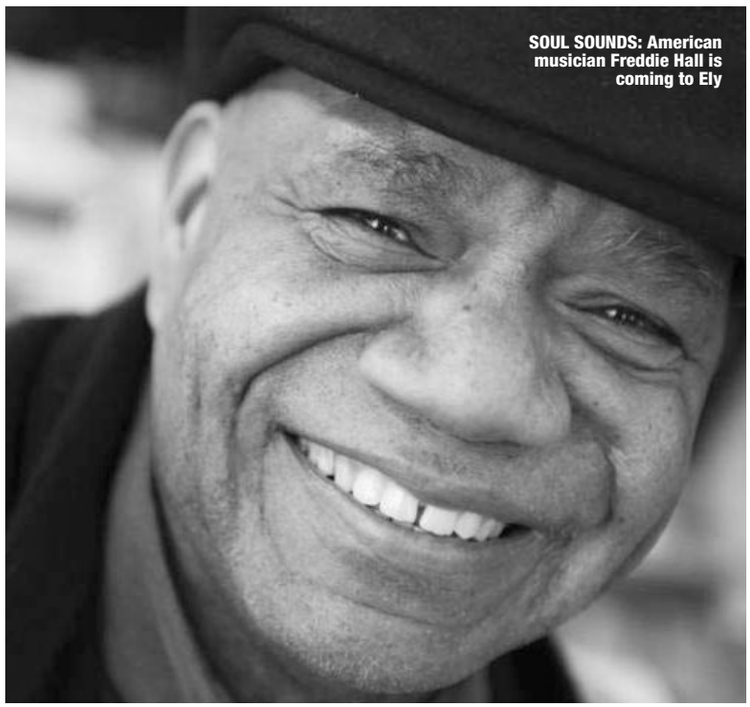
Freddie is from New York but now lives in England. He is a singer/songwriter, guitarist and professional musician who sings jazz, blues and soul.

He has sung with many well-known musicians, including James Montgomery, The Temptations, Aretha Franklin and Gladys Knight.

A spokesman for The Townhouse said: "Freddie writes his own original compositions and has performed on the Las Vegas strip as well as in Germany, Czech Republic, Austria, France and England.

"Freddie enjoys singing jazz standards, blues, Mo-Town and soul with his music style influenced by the likes of Nat King Cole, The Temptations, Ray Charles and Van Morrison."

The free concert starts at 3pm and will be supported by DJ Davey Wiz playing well-known Mo-Town and northern soul classic hits.



SOUL SOUNDS: American musician Freddie Hall is coming to Ely

Award-winning band in Soham

THE internationally-renowned Joe Loss Orchestra is coming to Soham today.
Led by vocalist Todd Miller, the award-winning band is performing at The Brook at 2pm.
Tickets are £17, pre-concert food is available and tickets are available by calling (01353) 721 748.
On Sunday, Irish and country musician Stephen Smyth and his band will also be performing at The Brook. His latest recording, Classic Country, features his hit song, I'm the Lucky One.
The concert starts at 2.30pm and tickets are £16. Again, call (01353) 721748 for tickets.

■ ENGLISH folk legends, Megson, are coming to Ely tonight.
The BBC Radion 2 folk award nominees' duo, made up of husband and wife Stu and Debbie Hanna, is performing at St Peter's Church, in Broad Street, at 7.30pm.
Tickets are £13 and available by calling (01353) 616991.

■ ELY'S Old Palace gardens will be transformed into an open air theatre on Wednesday, May 22 when The Lord Chamberlain's Men perform Shakespeare's comedy, As You Like It.
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Epic 2D (U): Sat-Sun 11am, 4.10, 6.40; Wed-Thu 4.10, 6.40
Fast And Furious 6 (12a): Fri-Sat 11.30am, 1.45, 2.30, 4.45, 5.30, 7.45, 8.30, 9.15, 10.45, 11.30; Sun-Tues 11.30am, 1.45, 2.30, 4.45, 5.30, 7.45, 8.30, 9.15; Wed 11.30am, 1.45, 2.30, 4.45, 5.30, 7.45, 8.30, 9.15, 10.45, 11.30; Thu 11.30am, 2.30, 5.30, 8.30, 9.15
The Great Gatsby 3D (12A): Fri 1.20, 4.40, 8, 11.20; Sat 10.10am, 1.20, 4.40, 8, 11.20; Sun 10.10am, 1.20, 4.40, 8; Mon-Thu 1.20, 4.40, 8
The Great Gatsby 2D (12A): Fri-Sat 12.20, 3.40, 7, 10.30; Sun-Tues 12.20, 3.40, 7,; Wed 12.20, 3.40, 7, 10.30; Thu 12.20, 3.40, 7
Gimme The Loot (15): Tues 7.20
Star Trek Into Darkness 3D (12A): Fri 2, 5.10, 8.15, 11.30; Sat 5.10, 8.15, 11.30; Sun 5.10, 8.15; Mon-Tues 2, 5.10, 8.15; Wed 5.10, 8.15, 11.15; Thu 6
Star Trek Into Darkness 2D (12A): Fri 1, 4.15, 7.30, 10.40; Sat 10am, 1, 4.15, 7.30, 10.40; Sun 10am, 1, 4.15, 7.30; Mon 1, 4.15, 7.30; Tues 1, 4.15, 9.30; Wed 1, 4.15, 7.30; Thu 2, 5.10, 8.15
Iron Man 3 2D (12A): Fri 12.45, 4, 6.20, 7.15, 10.15; Sat-Sun 3.20 (subtitles Sun), 6.20, 9.30; Mon-Tues 12.45, 4, 6.20 (subtitles Tues), 7.15,; Wed 12.45, 4, 6.20, 7.15,, 10.15; Thu 12.45, 4, 7.15,
All Stars (U): Sat-Sun 10.15am, 12.50
Oblivion (12A): Fri 12.30, 3.20; Mon 12.30, 3.20; Tues 3.20
The Croods 2D (U): Sat-Sun 10.45am

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Mud (12A): Fri 5.15; Sat-Sun 3.25, 8.40; Mon 3; Tues 4.30,7.30; Wed 2.10, 8; Thu 4.50
All Stars (U): Sat-Sun 10.10am
Chimpanzee (U): Sat-Sun 11am
I'm So Excited! - Los Amantes Pasajeros (15, subtitles): Fri 3, 8.20; Sat-Sun 1, 6.20; Mon 12.50, 6; Tues 2.10; Wed 5.40; Thu 2.20, 8.20
Iron Man 3 (12A): Fri 2.15, 5.20,8 .45; Sat-Sun 11am, 2.15, 5.20, 8.45; Mon-Wed 2.15 ,5.20 (subtitles Mon), 8.45; Thu 1.50, 7.35
The Croods (U): Sat-Sun 10.15am
Movies for juniors
Tinkerbell And The Secret Of The Wings (U): Sat 10am
Brave (PG): Sat 10am
Wreck-It Ralph (PG): Sat 10am

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Skyfall (12A): Sun 7.30; Mon 7.30

film of the week

The Great Gatsby 3D (12A, 143 mins)

IN 1992, visionary Australian theatre director Baz Luhrmann made a seamless transition to the big screen with his swoonsomely romantic fable, *Strictly Ballroom*, starring Paul Mercurio and Tara Morice.

The feel-good debut, the first part of Luhrmann's so-called Red Curtain trilogy, garnered numerous awards including three Baftas. His imaginative version of *Romeo + Juliet* with Leonardo DiCaprio and Claire Danes proved that Shakespeare can be sexy and relevant to modern audiences and then in 2002, his visually dazzling musical *Moulin Rouge!* snagged eight Oscar nominations including Best Picture and a Best Actress nod for Nicole Kidman. Unbelievably, Luhrmann was snubbed for Best Director, which inspired host Whoopi Goldberg to quip, "I guess *Moulin Rouge!* just directed itself."

He reunited with Kidman for Australia, an overlong love story co-starring Hugh Jackman, and now he gravitates back to leading man DiCaprio for *The Great Gatsby*, his first foray into the fashionable 3D format which claims the honour of opening this year's Cannes Film Festival on May 15. Luhrmann is the first film-maker in almost 40 years to commit F Scott Fitzgerald's classic novel to the big screen, bringing his distinctive style and youthful energy to a story of smouldering passions in swinging 1920s New York. Mysterious millionaire war hero Jay Gatsby (DiCaprio) is famed for throwing the most lavish and decadent parties for the social elite. Everyone wants to be close to the dashing and moneyed man of mystery. Lowly stockbroker Nick Carraway (Tobey Maguire) is drawn into Gatsby's orbit thanks to his friendships with golfer Jordan Baker (Elizabeth Debicki), his cousin Daisy Buchanan (Carey Mulligan) and her husband Tom (Joel Edgerton).

As Nick is granted admission to Gatsby's inner circle, he discovers heartbreak in the millionaire's murky history. Past and present collide and Nick bears witness to the poisoning of friendships by jealousy and forbidden desire.

Chelsea's here again

SO, what are we going to learn from this year's internationally-acclaimed horticultural show?

While sustainability may be the watchword of this year's RHS Chelsea Flower Show, with emphasis on biodiversity, wild planting areas and inviting eco-systems, so many of the designs simply wouldn't be feasible in our own gardens.

So, eminent designers ranging from Tom Stuart-Smith to Jekka McVicar are offering advice to gardeners based on their own experiences in a new centenary edition of *Take Chelsea Home* by Chris Young, which looks at how gardeners can adopt similar techniques to create beautiful spaces in their own residential plots.

by Hannah Stephenson

Here's a few tips from the award-winners:

■ Organic herb grower Jekka McVicar, who has won 14 gold medals at Chelsea, on planting a summer salad crop container: "Salad rocket, dill and mustard are all great salad herbs that can be easily raised from seed and grown in a container.

"The trick is to choose a planter large enough to grow a crop for cutting; an ideal size is 23cm (9in) wide by 18cm (7in) high, or 5 litres/1 gallon, or larger. Fill with compost and water well, then sow the seeds and cover lightly with more compost.

"Set the container in a sheltered warm spot that is shaded from the midday sun. Once you start cutting your salad, feed the plants every week with a balanced liquid fertiliser."

■ Landscape designer Tom Stuart-Smith, who has eight Chelsea golds under his belt, on layered planting: "The idea behind layered planting in the garden is to repeat the ecological patterns inherent in complex plant communities.

"In an oak woodland, for example, there are various different levels: an upper canopy, often a middle canopy of medium-sized trees and saplings; a shrub layer, a herb layer, and then bulbs and corms at the bottom.

"By adapting this natural pattern to a garden, it is possible to have different layers flowering at different times, usually with the lower layers flowering first."

ATTRACTION: Visitors looking at the Orchid Society of Great Britain display at the RHS Chelsea Flower Show 2012

■ Professor Nigel Dunnett, three-time Silver-Gilt winner and designer of this year's Royal Bank of Canada Blue Water Roof Garden and one of the principal planting consultants for the London Olympic Park, on green roofs: "Garden sheds, porches, summerhouses, balconies, garages and small extensions all offer great potential for planting green roofs.

"The most important consideration for such a roof is how much weight the chosen building will support. It must comfortably take the weight of a person if it is to be strong enough to have a green roof planted on it.

"You can create a simple green roof by securing a pre-grown mat of sedums over a pond liner on the roof surface, but it is referable to plant individually into a generous layer of free-draining soil or potting compost on the roof. Many typical alpines such as dianthus and thyme are excellent for green roofs, as are low-growing species tulips."

■ *Take Chelsea Home* by Chris Young is published by Mitchell Beazley, priced £20.

■ The RHS Chelsea Flower Show takes place from May 21-25, in the grounds of the Royal Hospital, Chelsea. For more information, visit *www.rhs.org.uk*.

puzzles

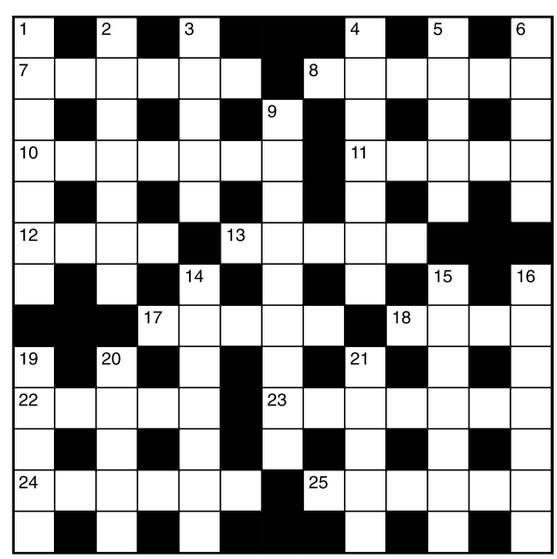
crossword

ACROSS

7. A poser in entertainment? (6)
8. Using drill without any excitement (6)
10. Quarrel over radioactive contamination? (4,3)
11. Father to avail himself of a break (5)
12. Music of the seaside (4)
13. Some of them are obviously lying in a cunning way (5)
17. Long to make youth leader work for money (5)
18. It is, of course, intended for use in solution (4)
22. Cry of woe about one other name (5)
23. Survive till the tenth wicket? (7)
24. To finish, I have a salad plant (6)
25. Behind which film-makers hide? (6)

DOWN

1. Bear out 100 have places with the company (7)
2. To which a couple have the key? (7)
3. Clearly a more significant officer (5)
4. Make up outrageous polemic (7)
5. Moor association? (3-2)
6. Maybe eager to get on together? (5)
9. Yet there is space in the drinks store (9)
14. Writers I have taken to be thoughtful (7)
15. Intelligent about a chopper (7)
16. Half the brides have small fortune (7)
19. Went white as father went ahead (5)
20. Adherent of religion having some faith in duty (5)
21. A bloomer taking farm animals? (5)



Last week's answers: Across: 1 Poles; 4 Resound; 8 Account; 9 Clear; 10 Tied; 11 Romantic; 13 Sups; 14 Flan; 16 Liberate; 17 Oder; 20 Edict; 21 Isolate; 22 Treadle; 23 Fleet. Down: 1 Practical test; 2 Lucre; 3 Snug; 4 Ration; 5 Sociable; 6 Uneaten; 7 Direct current; 12 Operated; 13 Sublime; 15 Stripe; 18 Drake; 19 Toff.

sudoku

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8	9	3	1	2	4	6	7	5

niner

Each number from 1 to 9 represents a different letter. Solve the clues and insert the letters in the appropriate squares to discover a word which uses all nine letters

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9

The clues

4266787 gives an Italian composer
6531 gives a Roman statesman
9529278 gives a French painter

Last week's answer: HOARDINGS

the GUIDE

weekend television

SATURDAY

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast. 10.00 Saturday Kitchen Live. 11.30 Nigel Slater's Simple Suppers. 12.00pm BBC News; Regional News; Weather. **12.15 Football Focus. 1.00 Live MotoGP.** The French Grand Prix qualifying session (Start-time 1.10pm). **2.00 Bargain Hunt. 3.00 FILM: Herbie: Fully Loaded (2005).** Disney comedy sequel, starring Lindsay Lohan and Michael Keaton. **4.35 Escape to the Country. 5.20 Celebrity Mastermind. 5.50 Pointless Celebrities.**

6.40 **BBC News;** Regional News; Weather.
7.00 **Doctor Who.** The Doctor's greatest secret is revealed. Last in the series.
7.45 **The National Lottery Draws.**
8.00 **Eurovision Song Contest 2013.** Graham Norton commentates on the musical extravaganza from Malmo, Sweden, as Bonnie Tyler aims to become the first UK winner since 1997 with her country ballad Believe in Me.
11.15 **BBC News;** Weather; National Lottery Update.
11.35 **Live at the Apollo.** With Al Murray, Chris Addison and Tim Vine.
12.05am **FILM: Life (1999).** Prison comedy, with Eddie Murphy and Martin Lawrence.
1.45 **Weatherview.**
1.50 **BBC News.**

BBC2

6.00am This Is BBC2. 6.40 FILM: Till the End of Time (1946). Drama, starring Guy Madison and Robert Mitchum. **8.20 FILM: Flying Leathernecks (1951).** Second World War adventure, starring John Wayne. **10.00 A History of Scotland. 11.00 Map Man. 11.30 Just a Minute. 12.00pm The Chef's Protege. 2.30 The A to Z of TV Gardening. 2.50 Coast. 3.50 Auction Hero. 4.50 FILM: The Eagle Has Landed (1976).** Second World War spy adventure, with Michael Caine.

7.00 **Flog It!** Paul Martin and the team visit Wilmslow, Cheshire.
8.00 **Dad's Army.** Captain Mainwaring starts a recruitment campaign.
8.30 **Sincerely, F Scott Fitzgerald: A Culture Show Special.** To mark a new film adaptation of The Great Gatsby, Jay McInerney explores the life and writing of the author through the letters he sent to editors, publishers, lovers and friends.
9.30 **QI XL.** With Jo Brand, David Mitchell and Phill Jupitus.
10.15 **FILM: West Is West (2010).** Premiere. Comedy sequel, starring Om Puri.
11.55 **FILM: The Walker (2007).** Drama, starring Woody Harrelson.
1.35am **This Is BBC2.**

ITV

6.00am CITV. 8.25 ITV News. 8.30 Dinner Date. 9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show USA. 10.15 My Tasty Travels with Lynda Bellingham. 11.15 Saturday Farm. 12.15pm ITV News and Weather; Weather. **12.30 Murder, She Wrote. 1.30 River Monsters. 2.30 All Star Family Fortunes. 3.15 The Chase. 4.15 FILM: The Great St Trinian's Train Robbery (1966).**

6.00 **ITV News Anglia;** Weather.
6.15 **ITV News and Weather.**
6.30 **You've Been Framed! Top 100 Holidays.**
7.30 **Britain's Got Talent.** More hopefuls take their moment in the spotlight in an attempt to impress the four judges and secure a place in the live semi-finals.
8.45 **The Cube.** Two more contestants face the challenge. Last in the series.
9.45 **The Jonathan Ross Show.** With Lee Evans, Philip Glenister, Marc Warren, Max Beesley, Gemma Arterton and Primal Scream. Last in the series.
10.45 **ITV News and Weather;** Local Weather.
11.00 **FILM: Mickey Blue Eyes (1999).** Romantic comedy, with Hugh Grant.
12.55am **Jackpot247.**
3.00 **The Starter Wife.**
3.50 **ITV Nightscreen.**

CHANNEL 4

6.00am The Treacle People. 6.10 The Hoobs. 6.35 VW Racing Cup. 7.00 The Grid. 7.25 FIM Superbike World Championship. 7.55 The Morning Line. 8.55 Everybody Loves Raymond. 10.00 Frasier. 11.00 The Big Bang Theory. 12.00pm The Simpsons. 12.30 Heston's Fantastical Food. 1.35 Channel 4 Racing. Live coverage from Newbury and Newmarket. **4.10 Come Dine with Me.**

6.50 **Channel 4 News.**
7.15 **FILM: Fantastic Four: Rise of the Silver Surfer (2007).** The superhero team faces a powerful alien sent to prepare the Earth for destruction by its planet-eating master. Sci-fi adventure sequel, starring Ioan Gruffudd and Michael Chiklis.
9.00 **FILM: Wall Street: Money Never Sleeps (2010).** Premiere. Drama sequel, with Michael Douglas and Shia LaBeouf.
11.40 **Derren Brown: The Assassin.** The illusionist demonstrates the power of hypnotism.
12.40am **FILM: Crash (2004).** Oscar-winning drama, starring Matt Dillon and Sandra Bullock.
2.30 **Southland.**
3.10 **Hollyoaks.**
5.15 **Deal or No Deal.**

CHANNEL 5

6.00am Milkshake! 10.15 Power Rangers: Super Samurai. 10.50 Batman: The Brave and the Bold. 11.15 FILM: Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory (1971). Musical fantasy, with Gene Wilder. **1.15pm FILM: Darby's Rangers (1957).** Second World War adventure, starring James Garner. **3.35 FILM: The Dam Busters (1954).** Fact-based Second World War drama, starring Michael Redgrave.

6.05 **Last of the Dambusters: Revealed.**
6.55 **5 News Weekend.**
7.00 **Cricket on 5.** England v New Zealand.
8.05 **NCIS.** Tony's father is linked to an attempted assassination.
9.55 **Law & Order: Special Victims Unit.** A teenager is found bludgeoned to death at a hotel.
10.50 **Law & Order: Criminal Intent.**
11.45 **True Crimes: The First 72 Hours.**
12.10am **SuperCasino.**
4.00 **Michaela's Wild Challenge.**
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5.00 **Hana's Helpline.**
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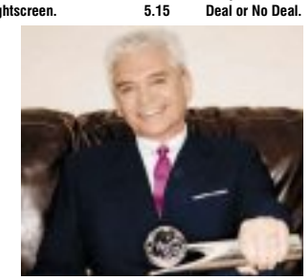
Eurovision Song Contest 2013, Saturday, BBC1, 8pm

Sincerely, F Scott Fitzgerald: A Culture Show Special, Saturday, BBC2, 8.30pm


The British Soap Awards 2013, Sunday, ITV, 8pm

World's Weirdest Weather, Sunday, Channel 4, 8pm

SUNDAY

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast. 9.00 The Andrew Marr Show. 10.00 Live Worship for Pentecost. 11.00 Sunday Politics. Weather for the Week Ahead. **12.20pm Countryfile. 1.15 Bargain Hunt. 2.15 Homes Under the Hammer. 3.15 Points of View. 3.30 Lifeline. 3.40 Escape to the Country. 4.25 Songs of Praise. 5.00 Chelsea Flower Show 2013.**

6.00 **BBC News;** Regional News; Weather.
6.30 **Countryfile.**
7.30 **Antiques Roadshow.** Fiona Bruce and the team are at Stowe House in Buckinghamshire, where former racing driver Jackie Stewart is among the visitors bringing in their antiques and collectibles.
8.30 **Case Histories.** New series. Crime drama, starring Jason Isaacs. Brodie investigates police corruption dating back 35 years.
10.00 **BBC News;** Regional News; Weather.
10.25 **Match of the Day.** Highlights of the final matches of the Premier League season.
12.05am **The Football League Show.**
1.05 **FILM: The Glass Shield (1995).** Crime drama, starring Michael Boatman.
2.50 **Weatherview.**
2.55 **BBC News.**

BBC2

6.00am This Is BBC2. 6.30 FILM: Ruthless (1948). Drama, with Zachary Scott. **8.15 Gardeners' World. 8.45 The A to Z of TV Gardening. 9.30 The Beechgrove Garden. 10.00 Saturday Kitchen Best Bites. 11.30 Chinese Food Made Easy. 12.00pm Great British Food Revival. 12.30 Live MotoGP.** The French Grand Prix (Start-time 1.00pm). **2.15 EastEnders. 4.05 Final Score.**

6.30 **Porridge.**
7.00 **Racing Legends: Jackie Stewart.** Chef James Martin joins Jackie Stewart on a road trip through the Alps in a classic supercar to retrace the life and career of the three-time Formula One world champion.
8.00 **Ice Age Giants.** New series. The creatures that dominated the planet 40,000 years ago.
9.00 **Australia with Simon Reeve.** New series. The adventurer embarks on a journey across the country.
10.00 **Mock the Week Looks Back at Food & Drink.** Another themed selection of material from the show's archives. Last in the series.
10.30 **FILM: Blood Diamond (2006).** Action thriller, starring Leonardo DiCaprio.
12.45am **Sign Zone: Countryfile.**
1.40 **Sign Zone: Holby City.**
2.40 **This Is BBC2.**

ITV

6.00am CITV. 8.25 ITV News. 8.30 Country House Sunday. 9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show USA. 10.20 Dickinson's Real Deal. 11.20 Love Your Garden. 12.20pm ITV News and Weather; Weather. **12.25 FILM: Murder on the Orient Express (1974).** Agatha Christie mystery, starring Albert Finney. **2.50 Britain's Got Talent. 4.10 FILM: Evan Almighty (2007).** Comedy sequel, starring Steve Carell. **5.55 You've Been Framed! Top 100 Kids.**

6.45 **ITV News Anglia;** Weather.
7.00 **ITV News and Weather.**
7.15 **Catchphrase.** Revival of the game show, hosted by Stephen Mulhern.
8.00 **The British Soap Awards 2013.** The stars of Coronation Street, EastEnders, Emmerdale, Hollyoaks and Doctors gather as Phillip Schofield hosts the annual awards ceremony honouring TV's most popular soaps.
10.00 **ITV News and Weather;** Local Weather.
10.15 **FILM: Children of Men (2006).** Thriller, starring Clive Owen, Michael Caine and Julianne Moore.
12.15am **The Store.**
2.15 **Monk.**
3.00 **Motorsport UK.**
3.50 **ITV Nightscreen.**
5.05 **The Jeremy Kyle Show.**

CHANNEL 4

6.10am The Hoobs. 7.05 Freesports on 4. 7.30 Everybody Loves Raymond. 8.25 Frasier. 9.30 Sunday Brunch. 12.30pm The Big Bang Theory. 1.30 The Simpsons. 2.30 FILM: Big Momma's House 2 (2006). Comedy sequel, starring Martin Lawrence. **4.30 Deal or No Deal. 5.30 George Clarke's Amazing Spaces.**

6.30 **Grand Designs.**
7.30 **Channel 4 News.**
8.00 **World's Weirdest Weather.** Alex Beresford reveals the power of air and its role in the creation of strange weather events, from tornados spinning on the spot to dust storms, double rainbows and mirages.
9.00 **FILM: The Social Network (2010).** Premiere. Fact-based drama following internet billionaire Mark Zuckerberg's rise to wealth and fame, and the enemies he made along the way. With Jesse Eisenberg.
11.20 **Don't Blame Facebook.** People who have made extraordinary blunders on social media websites.
12.25am **FILM: Walk the Line (2005).** Biopic of Johnny Cash, starring Joaquin Phoenix.
2.40 **Southland.**
3.25 **Gok's Style Secrets.**
4.20 **Come Dine with Me.**
5.15 **Deal or No Deal.**

CHANNEL 5

6.00am Milkshake! 10.00 Power Rangers: Super Samurai. 10.35 Batman: The Brave and the Bold. 11.00 Inside Hollywood. 11.05 Ben Fogle: New Lives in the Wild. 12.05pm Aliens: Are We Alone? 1.05 FILM: Godzilla (1998). 3.40 FILM: Hoodwinked (2005). 5.15 FILM: Cats & Dogs (2001). Comedy, starring Jeff Goldblum.

7.00 **Cricket on 5.** England v New Zealand.
8.00 **Once Upon a Time.** Spencer implicates Ruby in a murder.
8.55 **5 News Weekend.**
9.00 **FILM: Righteous Kill (2008).** Premiere. Two New York detectives pursue a vigilante murdering criminals who escape justice, but realise the killer may be a cop. Crime thriller, with Robert De Niro and Al Pacino.
10.55 **FILM: Out of Time (2003).** Crime thriller, starring Denzel Washington.
1.05am **SuperCasino.**
3.55 **Michaela's Wild Challenge.**
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2 Phone to book a place at your chosen restaurant, stating that you wish to take advantage of the 'Dine Out for £10' offer. Please note, the venues are running the offer at certain times and days of the week.

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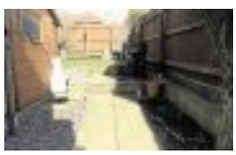

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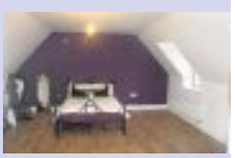

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Kitchen, lounge/diner, a double and single bedroom. Parking. Electric heating. EPC rating: C.

ELY **£400 PCM**

A one bedroom first floor flat with easy access to the city and railway station.

The property offers lounge, kitchen. double bedroom. bathroom, WC and basin. Electric heating. EPC rating: F.

ELY **£750 PCM**

A well presented three bedroom house situated North of the City Centre on the propular Cathedral View Development and providing easy access to the A10.

This neutrally decorated property comprises of kitchen/diner. Lounge. W/C. Master bedroom with en suite. Family bathroom. A double and single bedroom both with built-in wardrobes. Gas central heating. Enclosed rear garden. Off street parking for one car. EPC rating: C.

SUTTON **£725 PCM**

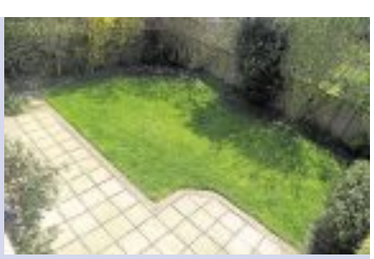
A well presented four bedroom house situated in the popular village of Sutton.

The property comprises of a lounge/diner, kitchen. WC. Four bedrooms, family bathroom. GCH. Garage and parking. EPC rating: C.

ELY **£850 PCM**

A modern semi detached property located for both the city centre and A10.

The property provides a kitchen/breakfast room, lounge, master bedroom, family bathroom. Garage. Gas central heating. EPC rating: C.



ELY **£1,300 PCM**

A spacious four bedroom detached family home located within the City of Ely.

The property comprises of Lounge, dining room, study, kitchen/breakfast room, utility room. Bedroom 1 with en suite, with 3 more bedrooms, family bathroom. Enclosed rear garden. Garage and driveway. GCH. EPC rating: D.

ELY **£575 PCM**

A first floor flat in this central location providing excellent access to the A10.

Entrance hall, lounge with open plan kitchen area, two bedrooms and bathroom. GCH. Allocated parking. Energy rating C.

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ELY — O/A £325,000

NEW

A superbly located, well appointed, 3 storey townhouse which lies in an appealing mews style setting close to the Marina and River Great Ouse yet within walking distance of the mainline Railway Station and City centre. Ent Hall, Shower Room, Study/Bed 5, 4 Further Beds, Utility Room, Sitting Room, Kitchen/Dining Area, En-Suite Shower Room to Master, D/G, GCH, Rear Garden, Garage, 5 Years NHBC Remaining. EPC - 79(C)

LITTLE DOWNHAM — O/A £130,000

NEW

A well proportioned 2 bedroom semi detached house with conservatory which lies in an end of cul de sac position backing onto farmland. EPC - 70(C)

WICKEN — O/A £162,500

A well proportioned three bedroom semi detached house which lies on a good size plot with far reaching countryside views to front & rear. EPC - 28(F)

PRICKWILLOW — O/A £169,950

A semi-detached house providing versatile living accomodation whilst enjoying far reaching views over open farmland to the rear. EPC - 61 (D)

BARWAY — O/A £275,000

A delightful, detached, 4 bedroom period cottage which lies in a rural position towards the end of this desirable hamlet close to the river and open countryside. EPC - 45(E)

ELY — O/A £315,000

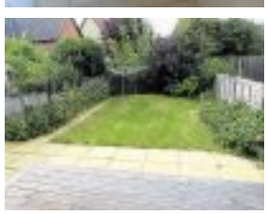
NEW

An impressive three storey period style townhouse in a highly regarded cul de sac setting just a few yards from the quay side and River Ouse. Entrance Hall, Cloakroom, Study/Bedroom 4, Utility Room, Living Room, Kitchen/Dining Room, 3 Further Bedrooms, En-Suite Shower Room to Master Bedroom, Bathroom, Front Garden, Enclosed 20ft Rear Garden, Parking Space, Garage, Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing. EPC - 68(D)

HADDENHAM — O/A £139,000

NEW

An opportunity to purchase a well presented mid terraced two bedroom bungalow which lies in an appealing end of cul de sac situation close to the High Street and its excellent range of facilities. Entrance Hall, Fitted Kitchen, Living Room with double doors to Garden, Two Bedrooms, Bathroom, Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing, Front Garden, Rear Garden with Southerly aspect, Garage. No Upward Chain EPC - 68(D)



ELY — O/A £225,000

NEW

A particularly well appointed 3 bedroom detached property which forms part of this highly popular development. Entrance Hall, Refitted Cloakroom, Living Room, Refitted Bespoke Kitchen/Dining Room, Refitted En-Suite Shower Room and Family Bathroom, Front and Rear Gardens, Garage, Driveway Parking, Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing, Estimated Rental Figure - £850 pcm. EPC - 68(D)

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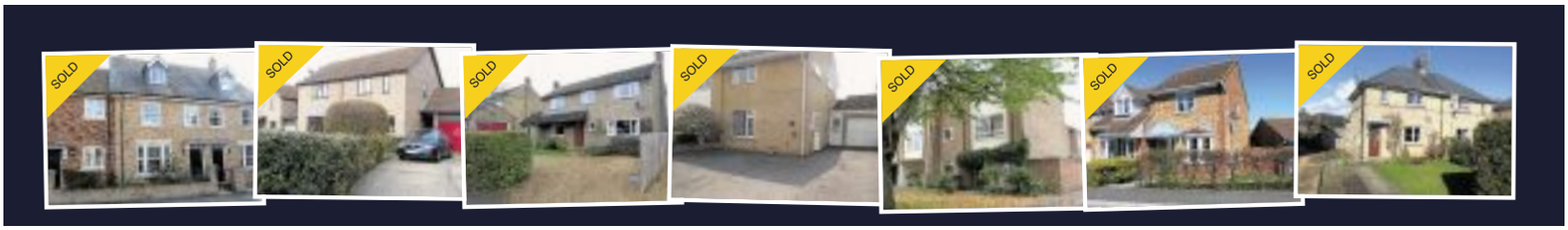


HADDENHAM — O/A £250,000

A delightful three bedroom character property situated on three floors which forms part of an imposing Victorian building formerly the village school, in the centre of the village close to a good range of local facilities. Fitted Kitchen/Dining Room, Sitting Room with Wood Burner, Sun Room, Cloakroom, En-Suite Shower Room, Bathroom, Enclosed Rear Garden, Brick Store Room, Double Garage, Three Parking Spaces. EPC - 57(D)

SUTTON — O/A £159,000

An immaculate, extended, end of terrace property with conservatory which lies in a peaceful courtyard style setting in this popular well served village location. Entrance Hall, Cloakroom, Spacious Living Room, Kitchen, Conservatory, Two Double Bedrooms with built-in wardrobes, Bathroom, Double Glazing, Gas Central Heating, Delightful Gardens Extending to Side and Rear of the Property, Garage, Driveway Parking. EPC - 76(C)

SUTTON — O/A £375,000

A substantial well appointed double fronted period style detached residence forming part of an exclusive cul de sac development in this popular village location. Hall, 22ft. Sitting Room, Dining Room, Conservatory, Superb Contemporary German Fitted Kitchen, Utility Room, Shower Room/Cloakroom, Four Double Bedrooms, En-Suite Shower Room, Bathroom, Front and Rear Gardens, Detached Double Garage, NO UPWARD CHAIN. EPC - 67(D)

WICKEN — £875 pcm

A charming well appointed Victorian double fronted detached property in an enviable position backing onto Pond Green in this highly sought after village location. Ent Porch, Ent Hall, Sitting Room, Dining Room, Kitchen, Rear Hall/Utility, Cloakroom, 3 Double Bedrooms, Study Area, Family Bathroom, En-Suite to Master Bedroom, Front & Rear Gardens. EPC - 26(F)
Available - End May Unfurnished

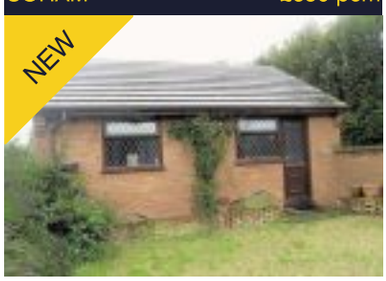
WICKEN — £625 pcm

A semi-detached cottage located at the end of a small lane in this picturesque village, leading to open countryside and Wicken Fen nature reserve. EPC - 43(E)
Available Immediately - Unfurnished

ELY — £1,100 pcm

A modern five bedroom detached house located within walking distance of the City Centre and schools. EPC - 74(C) **Available Mid June - Unfurnished**

SOHAM — £650 pcm



A fully furnished one bedroom detached bungalow which is in good order throughout and has oil fired heating, parking and a private covered loggia. Council Tax & All Utility Bills Included. **Available Immediately - Fully Furnished**

PRICKWILLOW — £695 pcm

A semi detached house which provides versatile living accomodation and enjoys far reaching views over open farmland to the rear. EPC - 61(E). **Available Immediately - Unfurnished**

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NEW

Ely **£310,000**

A spacious detached home over 3 floors, in a most highly regarded location within easy walking distance of the City Centre, railway station & popular Lantern School & Ely College. Hall, cloakroom, spacious kitchen/breakfast room, utility, 2 receptions, 5 bedrooms (3 ensuite), bathroom, attractive gardens, driveway, double length garage. EPC TBC.

NEW

Chatteris **£500,000**

Situated on the edge of this popular Fenland town, this highly individual detached home has been extended recently with a contemporary family room/kitchen completed in 2011. Entrance hallway, 2 receptions rooms, kitchen/family room, utility cloakroom, gym/games room, 4 bedrooms, garden extending to approximately half an acre (STS). EPC TBC.

NEW PRICE

Littleport **£269,950**

A highly individual, recently modernised detached home. Ground floor comprising hall, spacious lounge, refitted kitchen/dining room, bathroom, 3 bedrooms (1 with refitted ensuite), lower ground floor with reception hall/sitting area, laundry room, modern shower room, 2 further double bedrooms. Gardens & driveway. Close to station. EPR C.

NEW PRICE

Soham **£319,950**

A highly individual, beautifully presented residence forming part of a mill conversion backing onto a watercourse with superb views. Hall, utility/cloakroom, superb kitchen/dining/family room, lounge with balcony, 4 bedrooms (3 doubles, master with ensuite bathroom), bathroom, terrace style garden, driveway, double garage. EPR C.

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An extended detached property offering deceptively spacious accommodation & situated in a prime city location opposite Ely College playing field & within walking distance of the city centre & the mainline railway station. EPR C.

NEW

Littleport £124,950

A modern end terrace property. Lounge, cloakroom, kitchen/dining room, 2 bedrooms, bathroom, gardens & parking. Upvc double glazing and gas central heating. Ideal first time purchase. No chain. EPR B.

NEW

Soham £135,000

An established semi detached home comprising spacious lounge, modern kitchen/dining room, conservatory/utility, 3 bedrooms, modern bathroom, gardens, garage and parking. Upvc double glazing & gas central heating. EPR C.

NEW

Prickwillow £144,950

A extended & modernised semi-detached house with accommodation comprising lounge, dining room, kitchen / breakfast room, cloakroom, study / playroom, 4 bedrooms, family bathroom, parking & garden. EPR TBC.

Ely £325,000

An attractive Grade II Listed 4 bedroom period house with accommodation over 3 floors, within the most highly regarded Waterside area of Ely, allowing easy access to the City Centre, mainline railway station & river. EPR D.

NEW

Stretham £86,000

A semi detached house on a modern development on the edge of this popular village. Hall, cloakroom, kitchen/dining room, lounge, 3 bedrooms, bathroom, car port, parking & garden. 50% shared equity basis. EPR D.

Soham £172,500

A spacious 3 storey townhouse with hall, cloakroom, kitchen / breakfast room, lounge / dining room, 4 bedrooms (master with dressing room & ensuite), bathroom, garden, parking, garage. No chain. EPR C.

Sutton £189,950

A modern semi detached house is situated in the popular village of Sutton. Hall, cloakroom, lounge, dining room, kitchen, 3 bedrooms (master with ensuite), bathroom, single garage, driveway & gardens. EPR C.

Sutton £174,950

Immaculately presented, deceptively spacious semi detached home over 3 floors. Hall, cloakroom, ktichen/dining room, spacious lounge, refitted bathroom, 3 double bedrooms, gardens, driveway. EPR C.

Littleport £164,950

A spacious extended semi detached property in a cul de sac. Entrance hall, cloakroom, extended lounge and kitchen/dining/family room, 3 bedrooms, modern bathroom, front & rear gardens, parking & garage. EPR D.

Soham £126,950

Situated close to the village centre, this older style terraced home has been modernised and includes open plan lounge/kitchen, modern bathroom, 2 bedrooms & courtyard garden with outbuilding. EPR TBC.

Ely £315,000

A detached family home situated at the end of a small cul de sac on this highly regarded development with versatile accommodation includign 3 receptions, 4 bedrooms, double garage, parking, gardens. EPR D.

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Witchford **£157,500**

A well presented, spacious terraced home with entrance hall, lounge, superb refitted kitchen/dining room, side hall, rear office/studio, 3 bedrooms, bathroom & rear garden measuring 135' in length. EPR E

17499

Little Thetford **£235,000**

Modern detached family home in a cul de sac location. Hallway, cloakroom, lounge, kitchen, utility, dining room, conservatory, 4 bedrooms (1 ensuite), bathroom, driveway, gardens and double garage. EPR D.

17747

Chittering **£209,950**

Established semi detached house situated in a hamlet close to Cambridge. Entrance hall, kitchen/dining room, lounge, utility, cloakroom, 3 bedrooms, bathroom, 125' rear garden with workshop, parking. EPR F

16607

Ely **£70,850**

A spacious ground floor apartment offered for sale on a 65% shared equity basis. Hall, lounge/dining room, kitchen, 1 double bedroom, bathroom, attached garden & parking. Convenient cul-de-sac location. EPR C

16228

Little Downham **£199,950**

A well presented detached family home on a corner plot within a popular development with hall, lounge opening into dining room, modern spacious kitchen, 4 bedrooms, modern bathroom, driveway, garage & gardens. EPR D.

15714

Littleport **£279,950**

A deceptively spacious, immaculately maintained detached bungalow. Hall, kitchen/breakfast room, utility, 2 receptions, conservatory, 3 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, double garage, extensive drive & gardens. EPR D

15736

Haddenham **£425,000**

A centrall located detached Grade II Listed 4 bedroom family home offering substantial family accommodation with outbuildings with potential, garage, parking, gardens and outdoor heated pool. EPR F.

15288

Little Downham **£475,000**

Substantial, superbly presented 4 bedroom (1 ensuite) detached home in a prime location with stunning views, extensive driveway, double garage and landscaped gardens, Plot of approx 1/3rd acre (STS). EPR D.

17070

Haddenham **£269,500**

A stylish family home situated on a small select road of detached houses. Hall, cloakroom, 3 receptions, kitchen/breakfast room, 4 bedrooms (1 ensuite), bathroom, single garage, driveway & gardens. EPR E.

16826

Witchford **£450,000**

Highly individual barn style home on the Ely side of this well regarded village. Hall, cloakroom, kitchen/breakfast room, utility, 3 receptions, galleried landing, 4 bedrooms (2 ensuite), bathroom, cart lodge, parking, gardens. EPR C.

15092

Little Thetford **£375,000**

An established 3/4 bedroom detached family home on a plot extending to approximately 3/4 of an acre offering versatile family living accommodation with extensive parking, superb rear garden & single garage. EPR D.

17595

Witcham **£475,000**

A superbly presented 3 bedroom (1 ensuite) individual detached house on a quiet country lane with gardens extending to approx 1/2 an acre with double garage & parking. EPR TBC.

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KING EDGAR CLOSE - ELY
£1,295 pcm
Detached five bedroom family house in a cul-de-sac location with parking and large garden. EPC band D.

MORTON CLOSE - ELY
£750 pcm
Modern three bedroom house with gas central heating, garage/parking, enclosed rear garden. EPC rating C.

NEW

MEADOW LANE - HADDENHAM
£1,200 pcm
Modern and spacious detached house in a cul-de-sac location. Accomodation comprises entrance hall, wc, lounge, dining room, study, playroom, kitchen, utility room, four bedrooms (two ensuites) and a family bathroom. The property has oil heating, double glazing, garden, double garage and parking. EPC Band: D

ELY ROAD _ HILGAY
£650 pcm
Two bedroom barn conversion in a rural location with under floor heating, double glazing, gardens and parking. EPC Band:C

DUNSTAN STREET - ELY
£630 pcm
Two bedroom ground floor flat with gas central heating, garden and parking. EPC Band C

NEW

APPLETREE COURT, LITTLE DOWNHAM
£600 pcm
Modern two bedroom terraced house with garden and allocated parking. Gas central heating.

NEW

AVOCET GROVE - SOHAM
£595 pcm
Modern and well presented end of terrace house. Accomodation comprises entrance hall, cloakroom, lounge, kitchen/dining room, two bedrooms and a bathroom. The property has gas central heating, double glazing, alarm system, gardens and parking.

NEW

LONGCHAMP DRIVE, ELY
£550 pcm
Modern and well presented ground floor one bedroom apartment with electric storage heating and allocated parking. EPC rating C.

NEW

HOLLY WALK, ELY
£525 pcm
Modern and well presented one bedroom ground floor flat with allocated parking, communal garden and outside storage.

BLACKTHORN COURT - SOHAM
£525 pcm
Modern end of terrace house in a cul-de-sac location, which has been newly redecorated throughout. Accommodation comprises kitchen with cooker and washing machine, lounge with access to garden, one double bedroom and a newly fitted bathroom. The property has gas central heating, an enclosed rear garden and allocated parking to the front. Available now.

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- Carport and tandem garage
- EPC Rating C

SUTTON — £169,950

NEW

- Modern semi chalet
- Improved and updated
- 2 ground floor bedrooms
- Large lounge/diner
- First floor bedroom with en-suite
- Integral garage/store
- Enclosed rear garden with views over open fields
- No onward chain

SOHAM — £189,000

NEW SOLD

- Detached bungalow
- Built of non traditional construction
- 2 bedrooms
- Fitted kitchen
- Lounge
- Conservatory/utility room
- Garage and garden
- EPC Rating E

LITTLEPORT — £199,950

- Modern end terraced house
- Immaculately presented
- 4 bedrooms
- En-suite and family bathroom
- Fitted kitchen and utility
- Lounge and dining room
- Attached garage
- Energy Rating C

SOHAM — £189,995

- Modern detached house
- Updated and improved
- 3 bedrooms en suite to master
- L shaped lounge dining room
- Refitted kitchen
- Cloakroom
- Garage and garden
- EPC Rating C

LT DOWNHAM — £425,000

- Individual detached house
- Non estate location in popular village
- 4 bedrooms
- En-suite to master
- Lounge and dining room
- Well fitted kitchen
- Conservatory and study
- EPC Rating E

ELY — £485,000

- Individual and extended detached property
- Non estate location
- Kitchen and utility
- Lounge and dining room
- 6/7 bedrooms
- 3 bathrooms
- Large rear garden and double garage and parking
- EPC Rating D

LITTLEPORT — £129,950

- Established semi detached house
- Updated and improved
- Fitted kitchen
- 3 bedrooms
- Bathroom with seperate shower
- Lounge and study
- No upward chain
- EPC Rating F

FRECKENHAM — £285,000

- Brand new individual detached house
- Non estate location
- 3/4 bedrooms
- Well fitted kitchen
- Lounge dining room
- En-suite to master bedroom
- Enclosed garden and parking
- EPC Rating B

LITTLEPORT — £144,950

- Modern semi townhouse
- 3 bedrooms
- En-suite to master
- Fitted kitchen
- Lounge and conservatory
- Garage
- No onward chain
- Energy rating C

ELY — £227,500

- Improved and updated
- Modern detached house
- 2 double bedrooms
- Kitchen and dining room
- Conservatory and lounge
- Smartly presented throughout
- Enclosed garden
- EPC Rating C

WICKEN — £695,000

NEW PRICE

- Substantial detached house
- Picturesque village location overlooking village pond
- Grounds of approx 0.88 acres
- 4 double bedrooms
- 2 en-suites and family bathroom
- 4 reception rooms
- EPC Rating C

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ELY £800 pcm

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ELY £900 pcm

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STRETHAM £800 pcm

4 bedroom detached house. Kitchen, dining room, lounge, wc, shower over bath. Enclosed garden. Double garage & parking. EPC band D

ELY £850 pcm

Semi detached 3 bedroom house, kitchen/diner - some white goods, lounge, family bathroom, en suite shower & dressing room/study room area, enclosed rear garden with patio area & base for shed. Allocated parking.EPC Band B

SUTTON £600 pcm

A three bedroom mid terraced house, lounge, kitchen/Diner, bathroom .Gas central heating, Garden & Garage. EPC Band D

MEPAL £1,200 pcm

Part furnished 5 bedroom detached house. Kitchen with white goods, breakfast area, utility, dining room, lounge, cloakroom. Large garden with gardener. Parking EPC Band E.

LITTLEPORT £700 pcm

A detached three bedroom property with entrance hall, living room, ground floor cloakroom, dining room, kitchen, three double bedrooms, family bathroom, garden and off road parking. EPC Band D.

SUTTON £780 pcm

3 bedroom detached house. Kitchen with white goods, lounge, cloakroom, master bedroom with en suite, shower over bath. Garden. Parking. EPC Band C

ELY £850 pcm

EPC Band B. Semi detached 3 bedroom, kitchen/diner with some white goods, lounge, family bathroom, en suite shower & dressing room/study room area, enclosed rear garden with patio area & base for shed. Allocated parking.

STRETHAM £680 pcm

3 bedroom detached house. Kitchen, dining room, living room. Enclosed rear garden. Garage & parking. EPC Band E.

WITCHFORD £900 pcm

A detached four bedroom home, lounge, dining room, utility, kitchen with fridge/freezer & dishwasher, ground floor cloakroom, family bathroom, en suite, garage and garden. EPC Band C

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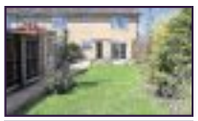

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CHATTERIS

- No Upward Chain
- Two Bedrooms
- Conservatory
- Off Road Parking - EPC C

£110,000

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- No Upward Chain
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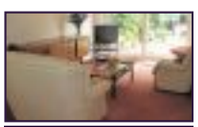

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Education

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THE SHADE PRIMARY SCHOOL

The Shade Primary School is a new academy, currently being built in north Soham. The school will open in September 2013. We are now looking to build the team which will help support the school and its local community as it grows and develops.

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Early Years Practitioner
salary range £12,418 to £13,619
27.5 hours per week, term time only, plus five training days

We are looking to appoint a passionate Early Years Practitioner for our new Reception class. This position is to support a smooth transition as children move to their new school.

We are looking for someone who can support children to master learning skills that bring a love of learning, achievement, confidence and independence. You will ensure that the developmental needs of every child are met, working within the revised Early Years Foundation Stage.

In turn, we can offer you the opportunity to work alongside an outstanding Early Years Teacher and collaborate with other Early Years staff within the Staploe Education Trust.

Lunchtime Supervisors
Hourly rate £6.84

We are looking to appoint two Lunchtime Supervisors.

In this role you will ensure the safety and wellbeing of children during the lunchtime period, supporting the school's policy for promoting positive behaviour.

Successful candidates will encourage and lead positive and active play experiences and opportunities, come rain or shine! You will also be able to support and foster positive relationships between the children, as they play together.

For an informal conversation or a visit to Soham, contact Avril Plume on 01353 724102 or at aplume@soham-college.org.uk. Further details of these positions can be found at www.staploeeducationtrust.org under The Shade/vacancies. Alternatively, please contact Gemma Satchell, HR Coordinator at recruitment@soham-college.org.uk.

Closing date for applications is midday, **Monday 3 June 2013**

Interviews will be held in the weeks commencing **3 and 10 June 2013**

Staploe Education Trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. The successful candidate will be subject to an enhanced DBS disclosure, and medical checks.

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Applicants will be expected to work flexibly and the role will include evenings and weekends. Some posts will require applicants to have use of a car and a full drivers license but not all.

Westminster Homecare offers a bicycle/moped scheme to qualifying individuals.

For more information please contact your local branch
Cambridge: 01223 840113 www.whc.uk.com
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Having a strong management background, ideally working in a similar environment, you will need to have effective leadership skills, experience coordinating the work of others and the ability to clearly communicate with a diverse range of people. You will be someone who enjoys supporting students in a collegial culture and will possess first-class customer service skills. In addition you will need to be able to demonstrate strong IT skills, be a confident communicator, and have a good understanding of health and safety, and security issues.

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Benefits include 25 days holiday per annum, plus bank holidays, and a generous contributory pension scheme after the initial probation period.

Closing Date: Monday 3rd June 2013 5pm

Interviews: First interviews 11th June & second interviews 17th June

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Closing date: 28th May 2013

DOMESTIC ASSISTANTS

(PART-TIME)

SALARY: £5,844 - £7,305

The College seeks to appoint Part-time Domestic Assistants working between 16-20 hours per week. Candidates should be reliable, conscientious and enthusiastic. The ability to work as part of a team is crucial. Cleaning experience necessary and an NVQ in Housekeeping would be an advantage.

Closing date: 28th May 2013

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Enthusiasm and strong communication skills are desirable, as well as a willingness to be flexible as candidates would be expected to cover for holiday periods. You should be educated to GCSE standard, including English and Maths and be proficient in Microsoft Word, Outlook and Excel. Closing date 31 May 2013.

Please send a CV and contact details to **Barbara Cattini at George Court, Bartholomew's Walk, Ely, Cambridgeshire, CB7 4JW** or email **barbaracattini@whitingandpartners.co.uk**

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We are looking for the right person to manage an enthusiastic and experienced team. The ideal candidate will need to have experience of supervising staff and recruiting, training and supporting volunteers. You will be working directly with parents and children and you will need to have experience of parenting and family support as well as knowledge of safeguarding procedures. There will also be management tasks and the post holder will need to be able to negotiate and support partnerships with other organisations. An enhanced DBS check will be required.

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LOUISA dark blue eyes, fair wavy hair, very pretty and feminine, 5ft 7ins, kind, caring, honest, sincere, GSOH, seeks similar male. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 399453**

APRIL, lovely 21yrs old curvy girl seeks mature male to nurture me in every way, looks unimportant, must be experienced. **Tel No: 0905 002 1956 Box No: 403931**

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ANNABELLE 30yr old slim attractive female looking for guy 18 plus for fun times. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 403941**

ANN petite Scottish lass new to the area looking for genuine love interest who likes children and will make me happy. Age/looks unimportant. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 403927**

JANE 51, young looking, attractive, blonde hair, hazel eyes, 5ft 3ins, size 16-18, fun, GSOH, likes travel, meals out, seeks caring, loving, N/S male for friendship, maybe more. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 404531**

BBW 36 with no ties and own home, enjoys seaside, country walks, looking for mature businessman for adult communications. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 404565**

CLAIRE new to the market and looking for a man to take me out and show me a good time. I'm 32yrs, single, attractive and ready to party. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 404557**

JOANNE 5ft, blue eyes, brown hair, seeking Tom Hardy lookalike, dark hair, likes music, walks, socialising, meals/night out. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 403309**

JO 42, 5ft 2ins, slim, blue/grey eyes, blonde hair, honest, genuine, seeking nice male for friendship, maybe more. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 403133**

DISCREET kind man sought by married lady, must be discreet and reliable as am I. **Tel No: 0905 002 1957 Box No: 355785**

KIND caring, loving female, 48, seeking male for romance, maybe more. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 393392**

BERNIE beautiful curvy lady seeks nice respectful relationship with mature male 40 plus, please call, lets go out and have some fun. ACA. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 404365**

TALL leggy slim brunette 37, attractive and very much single, WLTM fun loving guy 40-60yrs who loves food, wine, cosy nights in or out. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 404361**

LINDA 55, quiet medium build WLTM genuine, caring male 55-60 for friendship. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 404227**

HI I'm Amy, 60's medium build, varied interests, likes wildlife, music, seeking someone 65-70yrs to share the good things in life. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 404095**

LINDA 55, quiet medium build WLTM genuine, caring male 55-60 for friendship. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 404227**

RETIRED lady, enjoys dancing, walks, reading, WLTM similar aged male for friendship initially. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 403477**

MATURE well-dressed lady, 5ft 7ins, kind, caring, loving, seeks N/S male who is also kind, caring, genuine, 65-75, likes meals out, nights in, walks, holidays for friendship/LTR. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 403525**

HELEN 55, widow, kind, caring, GSOH, likes cinema, music, concerts, sports, seeks male. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 387587**

50YR old black lady, caring, honest, slim, new to area, lonely, likes music, holidays, meals out, seeks honest, reliable gent, 60-65 to share good things in life, maybe more. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 403633**

68YR old lady, N/S, cuddly, 5ft 3ins, ash hair, green eyes, attractive, seeks male. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 403775**

LISA 42, single parent, GSOH, caring, loving, honest, looking for relationship with male, 35-50. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 403653**

BLUE eyed blonde lady, likes dancing, cinema, shows, GSOH, seeks gent, 62-67 for good times, maybe more. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 402101**

MARY Anne, attractive, blonde, blue/green eyes, tactile romantic, cultured, seeks similar male, 55-65 with GSOH. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 398703**

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LOUISE early 40's, seeks male, 45-5- for friendship, maybe more. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 398955**

JENNY 59, divorced, N/S, driver, likes most things, seeks male for friendship, maybe more. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 398407**

KAY blonde hair, blue eyes, 5ft 4ins, medium build, 60's, likes socialising, swimming, meals out, seeks tall male, 60-70 for friendship, maybe more. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 397329**

JANE N/S, seeks N/S male, 45-54 for friendship, maybe more. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 379141**

VERY strict large black female, 50's, seeks tall, solvent, educated, obedient man with good lifestyle for love and marriage. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 388443**

JAYNE 44 bored, underappreciated pretty blue eyed intelligent lady seeking fun and interesting professional in similar situation to me for discreet fun times. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 403011**

ATTRACTIVE slim lady, 57, no ties, nice quiet persona, seeks gent for interesting conversation, laughter and romantic happy future. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 391669**

ATTRACTIVE young at heart lady, 73, 5ft 9ins, well travelled, OHAC, seeks similar gent for friendship/companionship, possible relationship. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 401893**

ANGELA 5ft 1ins, blonde hair, slim, outgoing, likes nights out, socialising, seeks laidback caring gent with GSOH for friendship, maybe more. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 401445**

YOUNG at heart lady, 68, GSOH, likes dining out, dancing, weekends away, seeks male of similar age, must be genuine. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 398855**

LOUISA 36, dark blue eyes, wavy hair, pretty, seeks male. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 380033**

MEN SEEKING

VERY kind male 48, enjoys cinema, eating out, live concerts, travel, WLTM N/S loving lady, 39-54 with similar interests for LTR. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 404479**

HARLOW male 39, outgoing, GSOH, solvent, seeks female companionship for friendship, possible LTR. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 404441**

ARE you fat? Think no one could fancy you? I would. Roy 50's attractive, romantic, wants your friendship, maybe more. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 404401**

PROFESSIONAL male 52 seeks lady 55-60yrs for discreet fun. Stomarket area. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 404195**

MALE 49 short black hair, green eyes, keeps fit/active, likes cooking, long walks, wining dining, beaches, seeks friendship, maybe more. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 404139**

PETER 69, WLTM mature lady for discreet relationship. Hertfordshire. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 403661**

61YR old male, 5ft 8ins, medium build, brown hair/eyes, GSOH, likes countryside, weekends away, holidays, tenpin bowling, seeking a N/S nurse with GSOH. **Tel No: 0906 500 3778 Box No: 403603**

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Youth football

In the pink: Sutton under-14 girls who claimed their first point with a 1-1 draw against Alconbury. CP

Wayman makes point for battling Sutton

Sutton under-14 girls claimed their first point of the season against Alconbury.

The first half saw hosts Sutton continually attacking the Alconbury defence, with striker Charley-Jade Stevens skimming the crossbar and Freya Wayman and Stephany Baker also having chances.

Alconbury's defence held strong and the first half finished goalless – the first Sutton clean sheet in the first half all season.

The second half started in the same mode until Wayman made a break down the left and coolly slotted across the goalkeeper into the net – another first as Sutton had not taken the lead this season.

Alconbury hit back with numerous attacks which Sutton repelled until a long throw caused a bit of panic in defence and Alconbury were level.

The rest of the half was end-to-end with both sides trying to score the second and both keepers performing well.

■ Littleport Rangers and Witchford Whites drew 1-1 in the Cambs Mini League, Division 10A.

Both sides started well and produced chances in an entertaining but goalless first half.

Port broke the deadlock when Harry Myles turned and finished, but Witchford continued to push forward. Alec Burgess, Lewis Cowell and keeper Harvey Williams resisted stubbornly until the division's top scorer Ben Marshall latched on to a long goal kick to secure a draw.

Boxing

Smith is back with a victory

TONY Smith made a victorious comeback for All Comers ABC in front of a home crowd on their annual show.

After spells with March ABC and Kettering ABC, Smith was back on familiar territory as he beat Rayleigh ABC's Swaley Anderson on a unanimous decision at Littleport Leisure Centre.

Coach Paddy Smith was pleased with how Tony Smith (pictured right getting the decision) fared on his return.

He said: "He was with us a few years ago before he moved away, so it was nice to have him back and he boxed really well."

But Charlie Webb went down on a split verdict in his clash with the more experienced Rayleigh fighter Jake Muir in a close-fought contest.

Paddy Smith said: "Charlie has had six bouts and his opponent had had 19, but it was a really good bout and you wouldn't have thought he was that far behind in bouts."

Albert Loveridge had a taste of action in a non-scoring skills bout with S Greenacre from March's Fenland Sparta ABC.

While Paddy Smith was pleased with the show, he was disappointed not to have more of his boxers in the ring.

He said: "We had one who couldn't fight because his thumb was in plaster and we had others whose opponents dropped out."

For more pictures from the show, visit www.ely-news.co.uk

Round-up

Sykes out in front

■ **CYCLING:** Tom Sykes was the leading Ely Cycling Club rider at the Cambridge CC 10-mile time trial in Cambourne.

He came home 19th in a field of 81 starters in a time of 22min 18sec.

Colin Whitechurch finished in 24.49, Matthew Eley in 25.03, Steve Presland in 25.15 and Celia Whitechurch in 28.21 to take seventh in the ladies' section.

Sykes was again to the fore in the 13-mile time trial on the Ely, Little Downham, Coveney, A142 Ely course.

He posted a time of 28.40 to lead the 27-strong field home ahead of Ben Harwin and Nick Waterfall.

Cliff Loveday set a personal best of 23.55 at the VC Baracchi 10-mile time trial in Suffolk.

Eley recorded the best result at the third round of the Elveden Estate Cycle Race Series.

He finished in 25th place, with Sykes 39th and Loveday 64th. However Geoff Brewster failed to finish as he suffered a puncture in the early stages.

The next round is due to be staged on June 8.

■ **MARTIAL ARTS:** Members of the Mark Farnham Schools of Tae Kwon-Do travelled to Bristol for a black belt grading.

All students performed in front of five eighth Dan Masters, which is the Black Belt panel. Those from Ely who stepped up in grade were: L Jackson (3rd Dan), A Spruce (3rd Dan), S Wharton (2nd Dan), J Le (2nd Dan), M Homes (1st Dan), L Gillett (1st Dan), M Connelly (1st Dan).

Adam Spruce, who gained his 3rd Dan, was also awarded best at Black Belt Grading out of 700 candidates.

■ **TABLE TENNIS:** Ely TTC are looking for new players of all abilities to form two new teams in the Ely & District League from September.

Practice evenings are Mondays and Wednesdays at Prickwillow Village Hall, and the club are also planning a mini-tournament during the summer.

For more information, contact club secretary Karen Byford on 01353 664271 or email byford1@sky.com.

Ely & District Bowls League results

Men: Bottisham 46 (0) Fordham 85 (7), Ely Beet A 59 (1) Ely City 72 (6), Hiam 40 (1) Littleport 57 (6), Isleham 57 (0) Stretham 70 (7), Newmarket 64 (1½) Soham A 81 (5½), Soham B 48 (0) Haddenham 95 (7).

Ladies: Bottisham 16 (0) Fordham 17 (5), Ely Beet 18 (0) Ely City 20 (5), Isleham 20 (5) Stretham 9 (0), Newmarket 34 (4) Soham A 33 (1), Soham B 42 (4) Haddenham 37 (1).

Equestrian

Riding high: Eleanor Fairey. CP

Fairey good show!

KING'S Ely Junior's Eleanor Fairey has successfully qualified for the Royal International Horse Show, which takes place at Hickstead in July.

As well as success with her working hunter pony Keltic Print, 12-year-old Fairey also qualified with her champion show hunter pony, Stambrook Wedding Belle, which was crowned Show Hunter Pony of the Year at the Horse of the Year Show 2012. Head of King's Ely Junior, Richard Whymark, said: "This is a splendid result for Eleanor and we wish her the best of luck for Hickstead."

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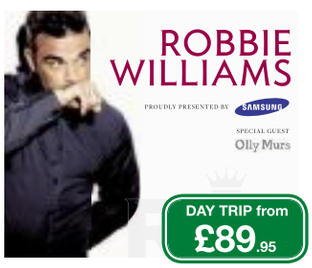

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Cricket

Nury's dashing blade lifts Ely

SAIFUL Nury and Henry Baker were the difference as City of Ely shocked Great Shelford in the first round of the *Cambridge News* 20/20 Walker Cup.

Both batsmen produced numerous lusty blows as the Senior League, Division Two side proved too strong for their Division One opponents.

Shelford captain Liam Flynn won the toss and inserted the visitors, who proceeded to put 194 for 4 on the board.

Opener Nury raced to 77 and shared partnerships worth 79 with Jonathan Woods (34) and 54 with Henry Baker, who remained unbeaten on 52 having hit five fours and a couple of sixes.

"It was a very good performance with the bat," said Ely skipper Jonny Wallace.

"We had a really good start with the two openers. I think 160 would have been about par, but getting to 194 was too much to give Great Shelford any chance.

"It was good hitting from Saiful and then Henry Baker when he came in."

And Shelford were soon in trouble with the bat as Andrew Zajac (3 for 16) turned the screw and they slipped to 40 for 5.

Flynn (18) and Mark Harrod, who hit 47 not out, tried to keep their team in the contest with a 64-run sixth-wicket partnership, and Ely put down seven catches.

But Woods, Daniel Ingram and Rahul Mohanty all got a wicket each and Shelford closed on 124 for 6.

"When they batted we took two or three early chances," said Wallace. "We did drop a few catches, but with that number of runs on the board we could afford to make a few mistakes in the field."

Ely will now travel to last season's runners-up Horseheath, who advanced to the second round without bowling a ball as their opponents Over defaulted.

And Wallace believes his men could have another shock win in their locker thanks to better availability on Sundays.

"We've got a couple of players that aren't available for Saturdays and are available for Sundays, and they arguably make us stronger," said Wallace.

"It will be a tough game against Horseheath, but I think we can have a real go at it."

City of Ely's league clash with Old Leysians on Saturday was abandoned because of rain.

Soham piled on 338 for 6 thanks to the excellent efforts of Michael Harvey as they trounced March IV in Mr Cricket CCA Junior League, Division 4N.

He amassed a whopping 168, and Matt Fretwell added 34, with March then slumping to 66 all out as Nick Clarke and Wade Leaford took four and three wickets respectively.

Soham also advanced past Bottisham-Lode II in the Lower Junior Cup on a coin-toss.

Josh Pope (144) and Nick Mingay (57) had got them to 248 in their innings, before the rain set in.

■ Ely under-11s carried on their fine start to the season with another good team performance against Mildenhall.

Put in to bat, Ely reached 254 for 4 off their 15 overs. An excellent bowling and sharp fielding display, including six catches, then restricted Mildenhall to 191 for 11 off their 15 overs.

Good luck: City of Ely captain Jonny Wallace, right, with his Great Shelford counterpart Liam Flynn at the sides' *Cambridge News* 20/20 Walker Cup clash. Picture: Keith Heppell.

On the front foot: Charlie Webb from All Comers Boxing Club in action against Jake Muir at his club's annual show in Littleport. ■ Report – page 55 Picture: Keith Heppell.

Triathlon

Get set for city's big event

THE countdown has started to the Ely Sprint Triathlon and Aquathlon.

Up to 120 participants will take part in the triathlon, organised by Ely Tri Club, on Sunday September 1 at The King's School.

It will consist of a 300m swim, 20km cycle and 5km run and participants must be over 16.

The aquathlon is open to all local schoolchildren and consists of a swim of either 100m, 150m or 200m, depending on age, followed by a run around the school playing field of about 800m or 1,200m. Boys and girls will compete in three age groups from nine to 15.

To enter the triathlon, visit www.entrycentral.com. For the aquathlon, visit www.elytri.onsport.com or pop into Specsavers in the High Street.

Event organiser Kevin Chalmers said: "We are hoping for a record number of entries this year."

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